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IS SLOWLY DYING

A Result of the Recent Explosion

Mrs. Esther Wilkinson, aged 43 years, wife of William Wilkinson, agent for the Provident Life Insurance company, is slowly dying and her condition is the sad result of the Riverside Park explosion.

Mrs. Wilkinson is now at 17 Anderson street though at the time of the explosion she lived at 60 Billerica street in the house owned by Thomas England, which was almost totally destroyed.

Her name has not appeared in the list of seriously injured, but she has been under the care of Dr. J. B. O'Connor since the day of the explosion.

The unfortunate woman's injuries are purely of a nervous and mental nature. Not a cut or bruise appears upon her body, but her nervous condition is such that she can eat nothing while her mind has become unsettled.

Her husband states that when lying in bed awake she is perfectly rational but when she closes her eyes to sleep she will suddenly start up and scream, "Oh, it is coming again." When the hallucination comes on it is with difficulty that she is calmed. At times she sees again the work of carrying away the victims from the ruins and her recollection of Mrs. Galloway is particularly vivid.

She seems to realize in her lucid moments that unless relief from her hallucinations comes quickly that she will die. Mr. Wilkinson said that the relief committee was giving him aid and that everything was being done his wife that was possible.

Mrs Wilkinson had a narrow escape from instant death on the morning of the explosion. She was on the piazza in front of the house when the magazines blew up. The house fell in pieces around her and she remembers nothing until she found herself in the home of Joseph Stanley, further up Billerica street. Later on it was necessary to move her away from the scene of the explosion and she was taken to 17 Anderson street, where she now is. The couple have one daughter, 14 years of age, who was away from home at the time of the accident.

PHYSICIAN OFFERS SERVICES.

A local physician who did not care to have his name published has placed his services at the disposal of Rev. Mr. Wright, free of charge, day or night, for the sufferers and Mr. Wright gladly accepted the offer as there are quite a number among them who are ill or still suffering from their injuries.

CONTRIBUTION LIST.

The contribution list today is as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$13,152.98
Highland Council, R. A.	50.00
Post 120, G. A. R.	20.00
Total	$13,222.98
Boston contribution	1,075.00
Grand total	$14,297.98

The fund should at least reach $20,000 for while the amount in itself is large, when divided among a large number of people will not go very far.

HIGHLAND COUNCIL ACTS.

Highland council, R. A., held a largely attended meeting last evening. One new member was initiated and several applications were favorably acted upon. The council voted to give the sum of $50 towards the Relief fund to help the victims of the South Lowell catastrophe.

A letter of sympathy was also forwarded to Rochambeau council, R. A., on the sad bereavement of their late secretary, L. E. Richards, who met his death in the explosion at South Lowell.

Remarks were heard from several of the past officers, Brother Quinklinberg of Dorchester council, Dorchester, Mass., spoke interestingly. Whist was enjoyed after adjournment.

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MORNING BLAZE

Hildreth Street House Nearly Destroyed

A fire broke out in the residence of Orange H. Stafford, 321 Hildreth street, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning and before the fire department had it under control a good portion of the ell of the building had been burned.

The main portion of the house is built of stone, but a wooden ell connects the stone house with the barn. The fire started in a room on the second floor of the ell and it is not known how long it had been burning when it was discovered by one of the neighbors. When discovered thet fire was making its way through the roof.

An alarm from box 67 was pulled in and when the department arrived the fire was burning at a furious rate. As the fire started near the barn the firemen were afraid it would communicate with the hay and destroy that building, but owing to the peculiar construction of the house the blaze worked its way through the top of the wooden ell and the firemen had the hardest time in keeping it from getting into the interior of the stone house.

After considerable difficulty the fire was extinguished, and the principal damage was to the ell, the room in which the fire started being completely gutted while a good portion of the roof was destroyed. The main damage to the interior of the stone house was from smoke and water. The damage will be about $800.

DROPPED DEAD

Woman Was Kneeling in Prayer

Ellen Cotter, a well known and highly respected resident of Centralville, dropped dead this morning at her home, 4 Viles avenue. Heart failure was the cause of death.

Miss Cotter arose from bed this morning about six o'clock and when partially dressed knelt down to say her prayers. She had not been on her knees more than a couple of seconds when she fell over on the floor dead.

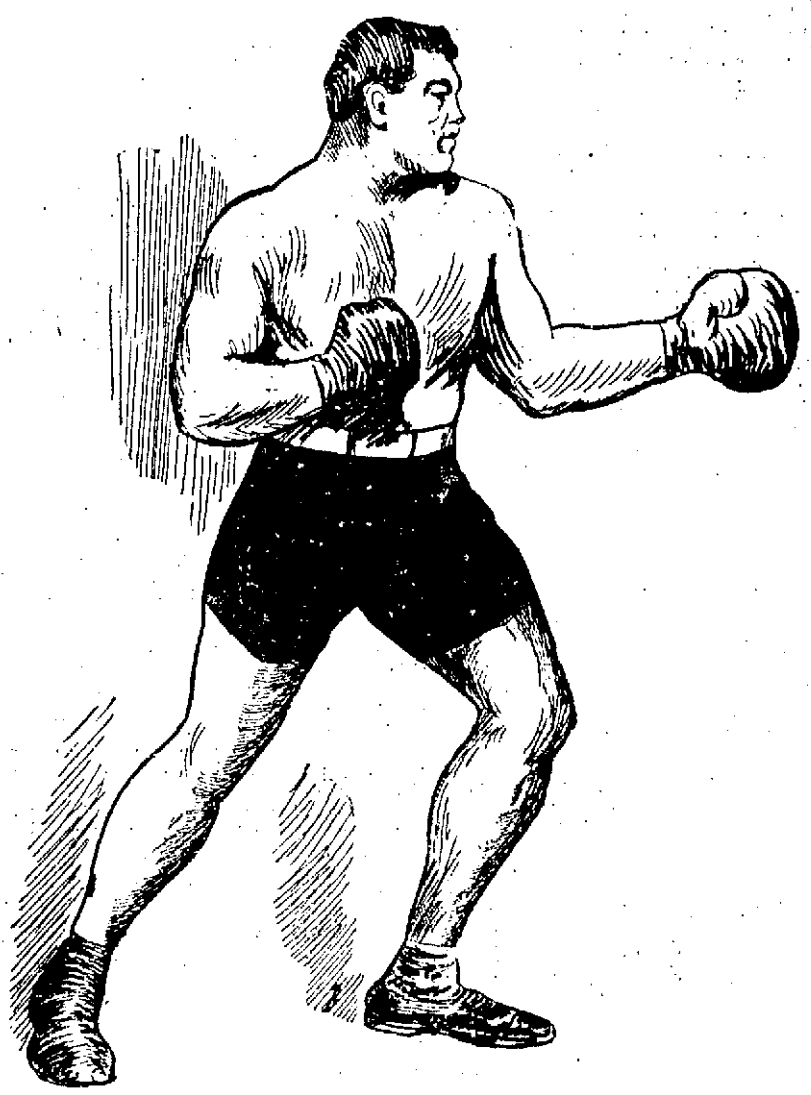
The noise of the woman's fall attracted the attention of other people in the house, and rushing to the room they found Miss Cotter on the floor. It was thought that she was weak and had fainted away. Attempts were made to restore her to consciousness, but before long it was ascertained that her heart had stopped beating and she was dead.

Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons were notified, as was Medical Examiner Irish. The deceased had been a resident of Centralville for a number of years and was a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church.

The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from her home.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

READY FOR BATTLE



JAMES J. JEFFRIES, CHAMPION OF THE WORLD, WHO BATTLES WITH JAMES J. CORBETT AT SAN FRANCISCO, TONIGHT.

Corbett and Jeffries are in Fine Condition

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—At no time in the city has there been more interest in a pugilist encounter than is now manifested regarding tonight's contest, between James J. Jeffries and James J. Corbett. Betting, however, has been comparatively light at the prevailing odds of 2 to 1 in the champion's favor.

The attendance promises to exceed twelve thousand and so rapidly have the tickets been sold, notwithstanding the big prices asked, that additional seats have been placed in the pavilion. When the time is called tonight there is not likely to be an unoccupied seat in view of the ring. Jeffries is at the Reliance club. He never looked more fit in his life. He slept until 10 yesterday morning and then disposed of a hearty breakfast.

"It's just a little work to keep limbered up for the big event," said Trainer Delany. "Jeffries will neither spar nor indulge in road work. He is as fast as he can be, his wind is perfect, his condition is the finest it was ever in his life, and if Corbett whips him he will be the wonder of the age. Jeffries himself figures that he will defeat Corbett in about ten rounds. In his opinion, the mill may go fifteen, but not more than that."

Jeffries is heavier than he has ever been at the close of training for any of his engagements and to the men who handle him this condition seems to be most pleasing.

When seen yesterday at his training quarters in Aladea, Corbett said:

"I would be willing to lose one of my arms if I can defeat Jeffries." He added:

"I know that Jeffries is a big rough fellow, but nothing can discourage me. If the betting were 100 to 1 in favor of Jeffries, it would make no difference. I have been doing everything that mortal man could do for the last fifteen months to get into condition for the fight and now that I have about finished my work, I am satisfied. I am fit to make the fight of my life tonight and if I don't win I never could or never can win against the man. Win or lose, I will say the same thing after the fight that I say now—I like the job I am about to go up against and will do my best to come out the victor."

CORBETT PEOPLE

LOOKING FOR ODDS OF 10 TO 4.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Public interest now centers on the fight tonight between James J. Corbett and James J. Jeffries. While both men have a large following, very little money is being placed. Jeffries still rules at 2 to 1 favorite and Corbett people expect to see the odds go 10 to 4. Both men will enter the ring in fine condition and both confident of victory.

Speaking of his chances, Jeffries said today that he does not feel that his championship is in danger, although he is not disposed to hold Corbett cheaply. "I am well pleased with my condition," he said. "I am not going to make a forecast as to how long the fight will last. It will not last any longer than I can help."

Corbett said: "I am feeling in perfect condition and am gratified to learn that Jeffries is thoroughly satisfied with himself. I am confident of my ability to regain the championship."

These expressions by the men themselves about voice the sentiments of those who have trained the big fighters. Corbett will be seconded in the ring by Tommy Ryan, Prof. Dare, Hank Kenny, Tom Corbett and Sam Bergen. The fighters will divide seventy per cent. of the gross receipts of which 75 per cent will go to the victor and 25 per cent. to the loser.

BILL APPROVED

For Purchase of Boisvert Lot

A meeting of the committee on accounts, Alderman Gallagher, Councilmen Welch and Worcester, was held this morning at city hall at 10 o'clock. Several bills were approved, among them being the one for $11,000 for the new school house land in Centralville, owned by Jacques Boisvert and John H. Beaulieu.

The mayor's letter, which has been published in this paper, in which he acured the committee for summoning him to be present at their meeting, was read and ordered to be placed on file.

The committee then adjourned without taking an action on the salute bill.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun

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DEATH SENTENCE

For Murderer of Russian Consul

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 14.—A court martial held at Monastir yesterday condemned the Gendarme Hall to death for the murder of M. Rotskovski, the Russian consul at Monastir. The sentence was immediately carried out.

Another gendarme was sentenced to 15 years penal servitude.

The two Georges at the Bunting Grounds Saturday.

MINISTRY RESIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SANTIAGO, De Chile, Aug. 14.—Owing to the political crisis the ministry has resigned. Important political changes are expected.

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ROBERT J. CROWLEY

Elected Commander of the Spanish War Vets

Robert J. Crowley of this city was elected corps commander of the Spanish War Veterans of this state at a convention held in Faneuil hall, Boston, last night.

Capt. M. J. Murray of Major Grady command of Boston presided over the convention and the national commander-in-chief, M. Emmet Urell of Washington, D. C., congratulated the state organization on the progress made since the organization was started.

Lieut. Robert J. Crowley of the Lowell company was nominated by Capt. Frank Dodge and was elected by acclamation. Then followed the election of subordinate officers and the result of the balloting was as follows:

Corps commander, Robert J. Crowley of General Ames Command, Lowell.

Senior vice commander, Capt. Michael J. Murphy of Maj. Grady Command, East Boston.

Junior vice commander, Wilson Brown, Henry Williams Command of Taunton.

Corps inspector, Capt. Barry, Lieut. Crane Command, Boston.

Medical inspector, T. F. Devlin, Major Grady Command, East Boston.

Chaplain, G. F. Broder of Henry Williams Command, Taunton.

Council of administration, Capt. William Fairweather of Gen. Ames Command, Lowell; M. J. Cashman of Maj. Grady Command; A. F. Hathaway of Henry Williams Command; G. F. Nickerson of Lieut. Crane Command.

Delegates to national encampment at New Haven, Conn., Sept. 28, 29,30, 1903: Capt. Frank Dodge of Gen. Ames Command, Comrade Griger of Henry Williams Command, Capt. Michael Murphy of Maj. Grady Command, Comrade Bremen of Maj. Grady Command and Comrade Michael McLaughlin of Lieut. Crane Command. Alternates, 1st Lieut. Frank A. Boyle of Gen. Ames Command, J. C. Gibbons of Maj. Grady Command, J. A. Welch of Henry Williams Command and William H. Grady and Edwin Burke of Maj. Grady Command.

Corps Commander Robert J. Crowley, by virtue of his office, heads the list of delegates to the national encampment.

After the election the new officers were installed. Commander Crowley addressed the delegates and thanked them for the honor conferred on him and said that his every effort would be directed in the way of benefiting the orginization. He asked for the co-operation of all the members in the state and assured them that the Massachusetts branch will be made second to none in the country.

Adjutant General Dyer of Washington and Capt. Frank Dodge of this city were among the speakers.

The delegates from Gen. Ames command of this city were: Capt. Frank Dodge, Capt. Fairweather, Capt. Philip McNulty, Lieut. Robert Crowley and Lieut. Frank Boyle.

Adjt. M. H. Harrington, Sergeant Ralph W. Clogston, Q. M. James Greig, Comrade Wm. Jolly and Sergt. of the Guard Hart of this city attended the convention.

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HIS HEALTH POOR

Governor Asked to Pardon Logue

Mr. John B. Cover called at the police station yesterday and asked to know what was being done in an attempt to pardon Thomas F. Logue, one of the two men who, for murderous assault upon him were, in 1899, sentenced to life imprisonment.

A petition has been circulated asking the governor to pardon Logue owing to the latter's poor health.

It is understood that Mr. Cover is opposed to Logue's pardon except the latter is at the point of death. Mr. Cover believes him to be a thoroughly bad man and dangerous to be at large, unless physically disabled.

TOBACCO CULTURE

ATTEMPTED IN LOWELL BY MR. COUTURE.

Almost everything that can be raised from the ground has been tried in this city, but it is doubtful if any one ever attempted the cultivating of the tobacco plant until Alexis Couture started this rather novel business in this part of the country on the J. C. Ayer lot at the corner of Mt. Washington and Howers street.

Mr. Couture is using 263 feet of the lot for a tobacco patch and 800 fine tobacco plants. They have grown to a height of about 2½ feet, while a few have gone a foot higher.

Extraordinary care must be used in the cultivating of these plants, and daily Mr. Couture has to answer lots of questions put to him by curiosity seekers, whose attention is attracted by the peculiar plants. He expects that the tobacco will be ready in December.

BROKEN WRIST

ACCIDENT TO JOHN POULIN THIS MORNING.

John Poulin, a stone mason residing at 129 Aiken street, while at work in the rear of the Lincoln school this morning was struck by a falling stone on the wrist, breaking the bone. He was removed in the ambulance to the Emergency hospital.

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GENERAL MILES

Hailed as Next Democratic President

HE WAS REPEATEDLY CHEERED BY VETERANS

The Guest of Norman E. Mack

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Aug. 13—General Nelson A. Miles, on his way to attend the national G. A. R. encampment stopped over at Colorado Springs for several hours yesterday afternoon. He was tendered a reception by a great crowd of veterans and afterwards by the citizens. He was repeatedly cheered, some veterans cheering him as "our next Democratic president." He was asked the question if he would consent to any movement to place his name before the next national Democratic convention. He replied: "That is a subject of course, on which I have nothing to say."

Norman E. Mack, member of the national Democratic committee from New York, who is spending the summer here with Mrs. Mack, entertained General Miles at dinner. Later a public reception was tendered him. Gov. Cummins of Iowa, was among those present. Mr. Mack said:

"Gen. Miles can be looked upon as a formidable candidate and would make a good president."

NEGRO SWINDLER

Got Away With About $6000

By Associated Press to The Sun

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 13.—Thousands of dollars have been secured from the blacks of this section of Georgia and Florida by a northern negro named Mitchell who stated that he had been employed by Senator Mark Hanna to collect money to be used in passing the Ohio senator's bill to pension the ex-slaves of the south. The negroes tempted by the prospects of a pension, gave readily to Mitchell, some of them turning over their savings of years. Last week Mitchell left, saying he was going to see Hanna. One negro, F. B. Wilson, who had given $50, grew suspicious and wrote to Senator Hanna.

Wilson has received a letter from the senator denouncing Mitchell as a fraud and warning the negroes not to trust him.

It is estimated that Mitchell secured $500 during his campaign.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN

WILL GO BACK INTO TAMMANY HALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Greater New York democracy, will, according to despatches from Saratoga, where several conferences recently have been held with Leader Murphy of Tammany Hall re-enter that organization, over which he once ruled.

It is said the differences between the Tammany leaders and the seceders have been patched up by democratic state leaders with a view to securing co-operation in the next presidential campaign.

CATHOLIC FORESTERS

CHICAGO MAN ELECTED HIGH CHIEF RANGER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DUBUQE, Ia., Aug. 13.—The following officers were elected yesterday at the convention of the National Order of Catholic Foresters:

High chief ranger, Thomas H. Cannon, Chicago.
Vice ranger, J. B. Gombeau, Contcook, Que.
Secretary, Thomas McDonald, Chicago.
Treasurer, John A. Lindback, Cedar Rapids, Ia.
Medical examiner, Dr. J. P. Symthe, Chicago.

EX-GOV. LUBBOCK MARRIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ABILENE, Tex., Aug. 13 Ex Gov. Lubbock, aged 87, and Miss Lou Scott, aged 40, were married here yesterday at the residence of Major L. C. Wise, Rev. Mr. Keeble of the Episcopal church officiating. The couple left for Austin, where they will reside.

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STREET BATTLE

Fierce Fighting at Whiting, Indiana

THE OUTGROWTH OF A FACTIONAL QUARREL

More Than a Score Were Arrested

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—More than a score of men have been arrested for inflicting severe injuries on at least half a dozen men in a fierce fight at Whiting, Ind. The trouble is an outgrowth of a factional quarrel between members of the Slavonic race, laborers for the Standard Oil company. Warrants for 14 others will be served today.

The riot was the culmination of a series of battles, in several of which serious injuries were sustained.

The police cannot learn the cause of the quarrel. They understand it originated in Europe and that the Slavs are fighting for a principle.

On one side are Servians, Hungarians and Crotians. On the other are those designated only by the Generic name.

Following several battles in saloons and at picnics, a party of Slavs and another of the allied races met yesterday in Schrag avenue, a street dividing the settlements. Scores engaged in the battle and hundreds watched the fight. The police made a dozen arrests and a number of the Servian faction were arrested later on warrants.

MINISTRY RESIGNS

BECAUSE OF TROUBLE BETWEEN ARMY OFFICERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 13.—A dispatch to the Central News from Vienna, says the entire Servian ministry has resigned in consequence of the differences in the personal relations between army officers who participated in the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga, and those who took part in the murders.

GOVERNOR TAFT

WILL NOT DISCUSS PROBABLE APPOINTMENT TO CABINET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Aug. 13.—Governor William H. Taft refused to discuss yesterday his probable appointment as the successor of Secretary Root when the latter retires, saying he had not yet been offered the appointment. It is generally believed here that Governor Taft does not wish to leave the Philippines until numerous problems now pending are solved. The situation is beginning to show the results pledged for the upbuilding of the Filipinos, whose devotion to and faith in Governor Taft are remarkable. It is known in any event that Governor Taft does not desire to leave before next February, but it is thought he is ready to obey President Roosevelt's wishes, though his departure would cause a sacrifice. In the meantime it is stated that relatives and friends are constantly urging him to return to the mainland. Gov. Taft is now enjoying excellent health. Though after living nearly four years in the tropics he is liable to a recurrence of dysentery.

Gov. Taft is now personally formulating measures of the utmost importance to the islands. The rumor of the probable retirement of Gov. Taft is agitating the archipelago and the provincials join the Filipino press in begging him to remain.

"JUDGE" SHOWLES

WELL-KNOWN MILWAUKEE CHARACTER IS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 13—John A. Showles, a saloon keeper, known to almost every one in Milwaukee as "Judge," is dead from heart failure. He had conducted a saloon here for more than 30 years. He never sold a mixed drink and declined to serve more than three drinks to a man. When the clock struck six in the evening the doors were closed even in the face of his best customers. He was well educated and a Mason of high degree.

AGAINST LYNCHERS

TRUE BILLS REPORTED BY THE GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DANVILLE, Ill., Aug. 13—The grand jury investigating the recent lynching has reported true bills against men and one woman.

There are three counts against each; defacing public property, attempting to enter a building with intent to murder the sheriff and three prisoners, riot and unlawful assemblage.

All are under arrest and will be arraigned Saturday morning.

HEAVY RAINS

ALMOST INUNDATED TOWN OF SILVER CITY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SILVER CITY, N. M., Aug. 13—Heavy rains during the past two days have almost inundated this town. A wall of water seven feet high rushed through the residence portion of the town, flooding homes and stores and ruining their contents. In the streets debris is piled to a depth of several feet. Dozens of families are homeless and destitute. It is estimated that the loss will reach $100,000.

GIRL DROWNED

COMPANION THOUGHT SHE WAS SWIMMING UNDER WATER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 13—Hannah O'Donnell, 19 years old, a maid servant in the family of C. R. Lee of Philadelphia, summering at Little's Point, Swampscott, was drowned yesterday afternoon while bathing near the Tedesco club grounds with a companion. Miss O'Donnell could swim and when she disappeared her companion supposed she was swimming under water. Frightened when the girl did not appear, the friend called for aid. The body was recovered.

MILLIONS FOUND

In Apartments of Pope Leo Opened Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 13—The pope is quite well today. He took a drive and a walk in the Vatican gardens and then received the Austrian ambassador who presented his credentials.

Monsignor Cagiano, the majordomo, accompanied by Cardinals Rampolla and Mocenni, opened the apartments of Pope Leo this morning, breaking the seals put on at the pontiff's death. They found a considerable amount of money, it is stated several millions of francs, besides other valuables.

ABDUL WAS LOST

Lion Hunter's Experience in New York

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—By the grace of the British consul in New York, sailing home to India with strange tales in his head, is Abdul Khadir, lion hunter and elephant trainer, who achieved local fame by losing himself in Brooklyn.

Dressed in Oriental robes, Abdul came ashore from the British steamer Indramara, from Singapore to Brooklyn, to buy a package of cigarettes. The British captain advised him to take little money with him. Abdul had, in a spirit of adventure, shipped on the Indramara. He obeyed the captain, and lacking money, nearly died on the Brooklyn streets. He lost his bearings and persons could not understand him.

During four days he starved and slept in parks. On Aug. 5 he emerged from a little park adjoining the Kings county court house. He was exhausted. He fell to the pavement and mumbled to the passers by. In despair he kowtowed to a passing automobile. The occupants took him in the automobile to the department of charities. There he collapsed. An ambulance surgeon said he was suffering from starvation. He was fed and removed to the home for aged men where Abdul refused to associate with the inmates.

For days he was taken about the city trying to find a person who could identify him or talk to him. In this strange way, the party met an officer of the British ship Iuradre who knew Abdul in Singapore. They talked and Abdul's story was made known. While Abdul was wandering his ship had sailed away, but with the aid of the British consul, the lion hunter has started on the voyage to his home country.

SPORTS ARRIVE

Big Crowd Will See the Fight

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Sporting men from all parts of the country are coming into town to see the big mill between Corbett and Jeffries which will come off Friday night. From the south the news comes that a special train of nine Pullmans will leave Los Angeles filled with men who want to see the representative of the southland match his skill against the San Francisco man. Corbett has not eased off in his training as rapidly as it was expected he would do and he still keeps up vigorous exercise in the ring, in the gymnasium and in the baseball field.

In the early morning he has some lively turns with his sparring partners, Sam Berger and Yank Kenney to keep himself in form and those who have seen him recently say that he shows up in point of physical skill and endurance as well as he ever did.

Jeffries who has now practically ended his training, is resting quietly in Oakland. He is in fine condition and will do just enough from now on to the day of the fight to keep himself in condition.

Bets still continue to be made with Jeffries the favorite at 2 to 1 and the betting is comparatively light. Owing to the methods of Jeffries' trainers, who avoided all vitality sapping work in heavy clothing, the champion will probably enter the ring heavier than ever before.

PRES. CASTRO

THREATENS TRADE OF CURACAO AND TRINDAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—President Castro of Venezuela, it is reported in this city, is formulating plans to take away the trade of the islands of Curacao and Trinidad because of the aid given by them to the recent insurrection against the Venezuelan government. The British and Dutch islanders live in great degree from their trade with Venezuela, being ports of re-shipment for American and European merchandise.

This trade, it is understood, President Castro will endeavor to divert to Venezuelan ports.

The decree which is soon expected from President Castro will also have the effect of placing a check upon wholesale smuggling that is now notoriously carried on between the islands and the small ports of Venezuela.

NOTED SPECIALIST DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Dr. W. S. Playfair, the noted specialist in women's diseases and authority on obstetric medicine, died at St. Andrews, Scotland, this morning.

Dr. Playfair was the defendant in a slander suit which created some stir several years ago when he was mulcted in $60,000 damages. The plaintiff named Kitson was the brother-in-law of Dr. Playfair, who was adjudged to have slandered the plaintiff's wife.

HELP WENT OUT

Trouble in Factory in Somerville

BECAUSE EMPLOYES COULD NOT PLAY JOKES

The Police Were Called Out

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 13.—Only an Armenian and a cripple were left of a force of 50 workmen at the trunk factory of Horton & Hubbard, 35 Myrtle street, Somerville, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was not exactly a strike on, but the workmen and working girls, incensed because the proprietors of the establishment couldn't apparently take what they thought a joke, left in a body.

The leave-taking of the employes was the result of a series of practical jokes played on the Armenian, two of which were considerably annoying to him. It seems that about all the employes have been participating in working off the jokes at various times on the unfortunate workman. He had been annoyed by them for the past two weeks.

The first of the last two was perpetrated some time last Tuesday and was discovered by the victim when he finished his day's work and prepared to go home. He had worn into the factory that morning a pair of shoes which were conspicuously new. When he doffed his hat and coat he changed his shoes for an old pair. When he put them on again Tuesday night he found that his stockings adhered to the inner soles of his footwear. Further investigation showed that some one presumably a fellow workman or workmen, had applied a liberal quantity of glue to the interior of the shoes.

Two young men were summarily discharged. A third workman was also discharged. With him went the whole shop and it took the police to prevent disturbance.

TRAIN WRECKED

Reported That Lives Were Lost

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 13.—A well authorized report has reached here that the west bound Rock Island passenger train that left Topeka at midnight is in a serious wreck near McFarland and several passengers are dead and others injured.

GEN. MANAGER'S STATEMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—General Manager Goodnow, of the Rock Island road, said this morning, that no passengers were hurt in McFarland wreck and all trainmen but the fireman, escaped. He was probably drowned. The train which left Kansas City at 10:30 o'clock last night, ran into a washout two miles west of McFarland about three o'clock this morning. The engine, mail car and combination car went into the opening. The wash out was caused by a cloudburst that caused a torrent of water to rush down an ordinarily dry bed, which was spanned by a bridge about 20 feet long.

MANY TOURISTS

ARE CROWDING TO THE GOLDEN GATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Several hundred members of the G. A. R. have been added to the advance guard already in the city awaiting the opening next Monday of the 37th national encampment. Accompanying them were probably three times as many tourists who are taking advantage of the low excursion rate to visit the Golden State.

The total number of such passengers travelling through Ogden westward up to date is reported by the railway officials at 4000.

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FIFTY LIVES LOST

Port Antonio Swept Away by a Hurricane

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, Jam., Aug. 13.—The effects of the hurricane upon the island of Jamaica were greater than at first believed.

Port Antonio, on the north coast, was completely overwhelmed. Only six houses were left standing there.

The United Fruit company's wharves, offices, hotel and plantations were utterly demolished.

Five of the company's steamers, including the Simon Dumois, Alfred Dumois and Brighton, were driven ashore but are lying in easy positions.

Port Maria, another town on the north coast, also suffered similarly.

The coast is strewn with wreckage of local sailing vessels. It is feared that the loss of life has been heavy, 30 fatalities having already been reported, principally among seamen.

The entire eastern end of the island has been devastated. Villages have been wiped out and public buildings and churches demolished.

Thousands of the peasantry, rendered homeless and destitute, are wandering about seeking food and shelter.

The destruction of the banana plantations has been complete, and the fruit trade is paralyzed for the next 12 months. Hundreds of prosperous fruit growers have been brought to bankruptcy and ruin.

The western end of the island, which it was at first supposed had escaped, also suffered considerably, though not to the extent which the eastern end did. New banana plantations planted there were partly destroyed and the orange and coffee crops were also injured.

The Norwegian steamer Salvatore di Giorgio was driven ashore at Annotta bay and lies in a dangerous position.

Several sailing vessels were wrecked on the north side. It is still stormy and threatening, and there are fears that there may be a renewal of the storm.

Torrential rains have increased the misery of the poor and homeless. Thousands of houses in Kingston were damaged, the wharves were battered and several coasting vessels were sunk in the harbor.

Trade is practically at a standstill. The southeastern portion of the island has been completely denuded of its crops, the rivers are flooded and many men were carried out to sea and drowned.

Considering the damage to property during the hurricane the loss of life is comparatively small, though the present estimate now is that the death list will reach 50.

Hundreds of persons were injured and there were numerous hairbreadth escapes.

The property loss is estimated at $10,000,000.

VICEROY'S POWER

He Will Have Supreme Authority

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13.—A new viceroyalty, comprising the Amur district and the Kwan-tung province (created August 1899) has been established. Heretofore, the Amur district has been controlled by a governor-general.

A ukase signed by the czar and promulgated August 12 appoints Vice Admiral Alexieff, aide de camp general, to the czar, as viceroy of this far-eastern territory. He will be vested with supreme authority in all the branches of the civil administration, the direction of which will no longer be in the hands of the ministers. It will be the viceroy's duty to maintain order and insure safety in the district traversed by the Eastern Chinese railway, as well as to watch over the needs of the Russian inhabitants, both within and without the Russian possessions bordering on the territory under his jurisdiction.

Diplomatic negotiations with neighboring states regarding the affairs of this territory will be in the hands of the viceroy, who will also be entrusted with the command of the Russian fleet in the Pacific and all the troops in the new viceroyalty. Until a law embodying the duties of the viceroy is issued, the regulations drawn up in 1845 for the administration of the far eastern and Caucasian territory will remain in force.

A special committee presided over by the czar will see that the actions of the viceroy are in harmony with the general policy of the Russian ministers. Viceroy Alexieff has been instructed to submit to the czar for his approval proposals for the administration of the territory over which he is about to assume the jurisdiction.

FIVE ARE DEAD

Killed by Earthquake at Mendoza

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUENOS AYRES, Aug. 13.—Severe shocks of earthquake occurred at Mendoza yesterday. A number of houses and the tower of the church of San Francisco were destroyed. Five persons were killed and many others injured.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by Goodale's Drug Store. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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In his Unique Act of Chalk Sketching and Mechanical Art.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

ELDERLY SUFFERERS

How the Explosion Affected Old Age

Old People Among the Homeless are Still in a Dazed Condition —Extent of Damage Exceeds all Estimates

The effect of the explosion upon the older people who were rendered homeless is most pitiable, for they possess not the optimistic spirit of the young people and as the sun seeks its zenith in the future of the young it steadily sinks to its horizon before the eyes of the aged. The older people among the sufferers in many cases are on the verge of collapse, for they realize that the future holds out no hope for them and that at best they will be depending upon others for the remainder of their days on earth.

In some cases the older people appear dazed and somewhat affected mentally. They fail to comprehend the situation and when asked as to their future plans can only answer "I don't know."

Among Rev. Mr. Wright's callers yesterday, was an elderly man who had lost everything, including two members of his family. He appeared in a dazed condition and seemed unable to explain just what he required or what his intentions are. Mr. Wright fitted him out and likewise the members of his family and made him feel that something was being done for him. But while he was thankful for the assistance, the unfortunate man couldn't grasp the situation and went away leaving the relief agent as much in the dark as to his future plans as he was before the visit.

A lady nearly 70 years of age called at the relief depot, and in response to Mr. Wright's queries simply said that she wanted to talk the thing over with him. "The young people don't understand." This poor woman had lost everything and saddest of all her family had become broken up with the demolition of their home. When asked if she would re-establish a home she sadly shook her head and said: "I'm afraid I'm too old to start over again." The unfortunate woman hadn't the slightest idea as to her own future, and she accepted temporary relief from Mr. Wright thankfully but went away in the same dazed and purposeless way as she had come.

"There are losses," said Mr. Wright, "that money can never replace, and day by day they become more painfully apparent."

Contributions of clothing, bedding and food were received this morning from the following: Mrs. W. Randall, Mrs. J. Clee, Mrs. B. Parker, Mrs. E. D. Soper, Mrs. Winslow B. Clark, Mrs. Samson Abels.

A COMPLETE COLLECTION.

Mr. Henry J. Fay, Lowell's well-known amateur photographer, has made two complete collections of photos of explosion scenes. One contains views of the military occupation with all the officers, the companies, company streets and headquarters, and the other contains 60 views of the most striking scenes of the ruins.

LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS.

The grand total of contributions received by Treasurer Burke thus far is $13,131.98, which does not include the Boston contribution. F. E. Jewett & Co. added $5 to the fund today.

MANY SUITS CONTEMPLATED.

Although no attachments have as yet been recorded there is talk of many suits as the result of the explosion though in most cases counsel are waiting to determine upon whom the responsibility shall rest.

Belanger who is now in St. John's hospital and whose testimony it is said will furnish the key to the situation, has retained D. J. Donohue as counsel though as yet Mr. Donohue has given no formal notice of suit.

The Messrs. Hogan have one half dozen cases in preparation though they have brought no suits as yet.

J. Joseph Hennessey represents Mr. and Mrs. Galloway and Robert Galloway who were fatally injured and Emily Winder, child of Mrs. Galloway who is at St. John's hospital suffering from injuries. He also represents the administrator of the three McDermott children and the administrator of James L. Grady.

Hon. John H. Morrison will enter five suits later. One of his cases is that of Arcuso Delagardo, aged 17, who is suffering from blindness of one eye and is threatened with blindness of the other. Mr. Morrison says his client was walking on the highway at some distance from the magazines at the time of the explosion. His client, he says, was thrown into the air and when he fell he struck on his left eye, destroying the nerve center. Since that time, Mr. Morrison says, the sight of his client's second eye is threatened and he has to be led on the street.

Jeremiah McCarthy, the peddler, who was thrown down in Billerica street, receiving a broken arm, has retained E. D. McCoy, and Charles and Napoleon Hamel have retained Alfred J. Blazon, as has Mary Hamel, wife of Charles Hamel. The first two will claim damages of personal injuries and the third damages to personal property.

J. J. O'Connor has six clients who want property damages.

Peter A. Fay is counsel for the administrator of John F. McMaster, who was killed, and for Mis William Burkett, who claims damages for personal injuries, and William Burkett, who will ask damages for injury to personal property.

James H. Kerwin will represent several Belvidere property owners whose buildings were damaged.

W. H. Bent and O. O. Hamel have been consulted by as many as 30 persons. Mr. Hamel was on the scene shortly after the explosion with a photographer and took many views of the disaster. They have been retained by the Riggs family.

James F. Owens has 22 cases under consideration as the result of the explosion. Damages will be claimed, he says, by Mrs. Leyer, for the death of her husband, Alexander Leyer, who was better known as John Rolleau. He was employed by George Stanley in driving horses attached to the truck upon which explosives were to be or were placed. Actions will also be entered, Mr. Owens says, on behalf of Mrs. Malvina Gayette, for personal injury; Napoleon Gayette, for personal injury and damage to property; William Wilkinson, loss of property; Esther Wilkinson, personal injury; William Morris, personal injury, and on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Staveley, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Richardson and other residents of South Lowell.

Several other lawyers also contemplate bringing suits.

Richardson, Trull & Weir, it is understood, are counsel for liability insurance companies which may be interested in suits against their clients.

Burke & Corbett are counsel for the United States Cartridge company.

WALTER COX

NASHUA BOY TO DRIVE ON GRAND CIRCUIT.

Walter R. Cox, a Nashua boy, well known in Lowell, has accepted an offer to become head trainer and race driver for the Capital City stables of Concord, owned by Gatcomb & Theobald. This is one of the largest and wealthiest stables on the grand circuit. Cox came to this decision in Worcester, Monday, and is now on his way to Empire City, N. Y., where he will begin his duties this week.

RAILROAD WORK STOPPED

THE LOWELL AND FITCHBURG LINE HELD BACK.

Work on the new electric line between Lowell and Fitchburg has come to a sudden stop and the residents of the different towns along the proposed route of the new road who expected to see the cars running very soon are very much disappointed. The greater portion of the surveyors who were making their headquarters at Graniteville have left town.

CRICKET NOTES.

North Billerica vs. Zions at North Billerica Saturday. Home team: H. Rowley, captain; T. Stirks, J. Patrick, W. Bingley, F. Shore, J. M. Cirmick, C. Bailey, J. Aspin, F. Buckley, F. Townsen and T. White head.

Reserves—W. Ballington, C. Walker. Scorer, J. Williams. Umpire, Alf Bradley.

The Mohair lawn party, the second of the season, which, weather permitting, takes place on Saturday at the Chelmsford street grounds, promises to be a record breaker. The committees in charge of the various departments have worked well for one object—success and it is expected that the clerk of the weather will not mar the enjoyment of the large crowd which it is confidently expected will be present.

The Mohair Reserves journey to Methuen on Saturday where they meet the second string of the local club. Their task should be an easy one. The team has been selected as follows: L. Fielding, captain; H. Castles, vice captain; J. Barber, J. Harley, H. Rudden, W. Scholes, F. Harrison, D. Clegg, F. G. Humphriss, J. Whitaker and J. J. Whitaker with J. Hodgson as reserve.

The team go by the car which leaves the square at 1 o'clock.

On Saturday afternoon the Mohair club have a Merrimack league fixture at home, their opponents being Methuen, who, by the way, were the team who last week beat the Merrimacks in an unexpected manner. The champions will be at full strength, the team chosen to represent them being: J. W. Harrison, captain; H. Mosley, vice captain; D. Hird, J. Priestly, T. Southam, H. Allen, C. Aveyard, E. E. Fox, T. Haughton, J. Harriman and J. Shuttleworth with J. Cooper as reserve. The game is scheduled to start at 2.30.

The tour of the Philadelphians has proved to be a greater success than was anticipated. The visitors have demonstrated to the English cricketers that they are worthy opponents of the best teams that can be put into the field. J. B. King has been the star of the tour and he leads in the list of averages of all the bowlers in England. At the end of August a team of Kent cricketers is to visit America and play a series of matches.

The matches will no doubt create a good deal of interest. The Philadelphians will be back in time to take part in some of the games.

The U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic association will hold its annual tall hat cricket game on the Wigginville grounds Saturday next. Sports of various kinds will be indulged in, including 100 yards dash for men, egg and spoon races for married and single ladies, obstacle race, scramble race for boys, 100 yards races for boys and girls, potato race, fat man's race for men over 45 years of age, bowling on the green, etc. After the cricket game and sports the grounds will be beautifully illuminated with Japanese lanterns and dancing will be indulged in to the music of Griffith's band, which will also give a concert during the afternoon. The full teams will be given later.

SECRETARY OLIN

Issues Circular on Coal Licenses

Secretary of State William M. Olin is mailing the following circular letter to the clerks of cities and towns relative to the new coal dealers' licensing law:

I send you herewith a list of the persons, firms and corporations to whom licenses have been issued in your city under chapter 484 of the act of the current year entitled "an act to provide for licensing dealers in coal and coke." Please note that these licenses are issued for such period, upon payment of such fee and upon such conditions and terms as may be prescribed in your city by ordinance.

The secretary has already sent out some 1500 licenses to dealers all over the state, but those licenses have not been paid for. The law does not provide to whom the fee shall be paid. It says that "such licenses shall be granted by the secretary of the commonwealth for such periods and upon the payment of such fees, not exceeding $5, and upon such conditions and terms as may be prescribed in cities by ordinance and in towns by by-laws," but the local authorities have no official means of knowing to whom these licenses have been sent by the secretary. Furthermore, the licenses are not in force till the fee is paid, and the licensees do not know to whom to pay the fee, nor can it be paid till the local authorities have decided how large it shall be.

With the circular goes a list of the dealers in the city or town to whom licenses have been sent. Upon receipt of the circular it is expected that the aldermen will fix the amount of the license fee and establish such other terms as they see fit. Thus far Fall River is the only municipality in the state to fix the fee. The aldermen there have made it $1. The idea of Secretary Olin is that these fees are not to be paid to the state, but to the local treasury, for the local officials are on the spot; they know the conditions of the local trade, and the common sense of the case is supposed to favor that interpretation of the law. The secretary has had all the licenses issued arranged in alphabetical order. In addition there is another arrangement under city and town heads, so that it is easy to find about any particular dealer, regardless of his locality, and it is also easy to learn who are licensed in any city or town.

DEBATING CLUB

HAS JOINED THE SUCCESS LEAGUE.

The Benjamin Franklin Debating club, a popular local organization whose aim it is to enlighten and aid its members in advancing, was received into membership of the League of Success club of America last night. The latter organization was formed several years ago by the publishers of the magazine "Success."

The meeting last night was well attended and a fine literary program was carried out. A well written essay was read by Addison E. Avery, and another feature of the meeting was the speech of George McElroy. The club is thinking seriously of publishing a monthly magazine in be of local interest for debaters and other literary societies in the city. It seemed to meet with general approval.

The question of forming a dramatic class for elocution was also discussed and an instructor may be engaged in the near future.

FUNERALS

McDERMOTT—The funeral of Rose McDermott took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the home of her parents, Anthony and Rose, 30 Stanley street and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

RUTLEDGE—The funeral of Marion M. Rutledge took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, John and Catherine, 50 Clare street, and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MARTIN—Joseph Martin, aged seven years, child of John and Mary died yesterday at the home of his parents, 142 Gorham street.

The funeral took place this afternoon and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

DEATHS

CONDON—Mrs. Margaret Condon, an old resident of this city, died this morning at her home, 3 Egan's court, off Gorham street.

MARTIN—John Martin, aged four months, child of Johanna, died this morning at the home of his mother in North Billerica.

KALLERY—Harry P. Kallery, aged 7 months, child of Joseph and Annie, died this morning at the home of his parents, 13 Burns street.

FISHING TRIP.

A large party from the Worthen Street M. E. church, in company with the pastor, went deep sea fishing yesterday. The party went out on the steamer King Philip from Boston, and 15 fish were caught by the Lowell party. The pastor caught six fish and one of the other members of the party caught four.

W. C. T. U. INSTITUTE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 13—"How can our legislative work be most effectively done?" was the subject opened for discussion by National President Mrs Lillian M. N. Stevens at the New England inter-state W. C. T. U. institute this forenoon. Other subjects were, "Best methods of adding to our membership," "The educational value of our Badge," "Our young women," and "Purity in literature and art."

The afternoon program included addresses by Rev. J. W. Magruder of the Portland Chestnut Street Methodist church; Solon Chase of Case's Mills, and Mrs. J. K. Barney, world's W. C. T. U. missionary.

The convention will close tonight with the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

The evening addresses will be delivered by Mrs. Helen G. Rice of Massachusetts, Rev. F. A. Leitch of Old Orchard and Rev. B. C. Wentworth, presiding elder of the Portland Methodist district.

PLENTY OF SPORT

THREE BASE BALL GAMES IN ONE AFTERNOON.

The seventh annual picnic of the pew rent, collectors, sextons, choir boys and the ladies of St Anthony's sewing circle of St. Joseph's parish, together with their families, was held at Belle Grove yesterday. Three special jumbo cars took the party to the grove down the river which was reached shortly after 8 o'clock.

One of the principal events of the day was a base ball game between St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste's parishes. It was a hot contest from start to finish, but the little fellows representing St. Jean Baptiste parish were too much for their opponents, and won by a score of 26 to 5.

Soon after the conclusion of this another game was played. It was between the small boys of the two parishes and St. Jean's boys won this game also. A further game was played in the afternoon between Pew Rent Collectors and a representative nine from St. Joseph's church. It was a well fought and evenly contested game throughout. The collectors played a better game in the field and were also quite strong at the bat, and for that reason they carried off the spoils of victory. Each member of the winning teams received 25 cents as compensation for their efforts.

TO OLD ORCHARD

LARGE CROWD OF LOWELL PEOPLE WENT ON EXCURSION.

The annual excursion to Old Orchard beach by the Boston & Maine railroad was held today and like all other trips to this popular watering place it proved to be a grand success. The train which left this city at 8.15 this morning consisted of 10 cars, there being 486 Lowellites aboard.

J. W. Brooks, the well known undertaker, was at the head of the party, and to his presence is due in a large measure the success of all the excursions conducted to Old Orchard by the railroad, Mr. Brooks having made almost four score trips to that place.

Upon arriving at the beach the different places of interest were visited, bathing was enjoyed and a good shore dinner was partaken of. The party will arrive in this city early tonight.

IN POLICE COURT

TODAY'S DOCKET A VERY LIGHT ONE.

There were no important cases in police court today. Judge Hadley had five drunken offenders to dispose of.

Michael F. Wall, a parole man, was ordered in $200 till tomorrow morning.

Clement Dawson and Thomas Perkinson, for drunkenness, were booked for the state farm.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Thomas E. O'Day and family of Pleasant street are at Salisbury beach.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Perley are visiting the cities along Long Island sound.

Mr. Charles Edwin Thissell is seriously ill at his home, 36 First street.

Miss Mary Taylor of Maple avenue, Lawrence, is visiting friends in Lowell.

Miss Susie Hickey of Keene, N. H., is visiting Miss Norah Cusack of Crowley street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Keville are sojourning at Salisbury beach and other watering resorts.

Mrs. Annie Hooper Vivian of Cranbourne, Canada, was in town Monday visiting friends.

E. D. Shattuck, the Middlesex street clothier, has returned from a business trip to New York.

Miss Cora McGovern and Miss E. Lynch of Brookline will start this week for The Weirs, N. H.

Albert E. O'Heir has returned from a visit to his family in Vermont. He reports the twins doing splendidly.

James Savage and Frank Holbrook, of Boston, are visiting William Wade, of Perry street, for a few days.

Miss Mercena F. Whitehorn, teacher of the Moody school, has gone to Salisbury beach, for a vacation.

Miss Helen Emerson of No. 60 Queen street who has been quite ill, is visiting her brother in Boston.

Mrs. Thomas Leland is visiting at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. H. H. Leary, No. 18 Barclay street.

Miss Flora R. Cambridge has returned from her three weeks' vacation spent at the Colonial farm in Stowe.

Mrs. C. K. Fisk of 40 Gates street started yesterdy for a fortnight's vacation to be spent at Amherst, N. H.

Mr. Frank J. Kane of Elm street will spend the next three weeks visiting Maine and New England beaches.

Inspector Charles Laflamme is on his vacation. At present he is the guest of the speaker of the house at Ottawa, Can.

Mr. Joseph Dextra left last evening for a three weeks' trip to Canada, to visit Montreal and St. Jean d'Iberville.

Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Bellehumeur returned yesterday morning from a delightful vacation of some weeks in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunlap were at the Grand hotel, Mont Vernon, on Tuesday, having taken the trip on their auto.

James T. O'Hearn, John J. Sullivan, John J. Walsh, M. D., and John J. Hanlon are at Camp Acre on the Merrimack.

Mrs. Clara Leary of 18 Barclay street has gone to spend a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Alexander, in East Boston.

Miss Winifred Horne of Grove street left yesterday for New York to join Fred E. Wright's new musical comedy, "The Beauty Doctor."

Miss Mary F. Conway of Belvidere has returned home after a two weeks' vacation spent at Bay Shore, L. I., and New York city.

Mrs. H. C. Randall is spending two weeks' vacation at Providence, R. I., with her sister, Mrs. Frank Robbins. Her husband will join her later.

Mrs. W. R. Sylvester and sons, of Osgood street, Lowell, and Mrs. G. S. Fletcher of Chelmsford, are attending a family reunion at Moners, N. Y. They will stay a few weeks.

Mrs. Harry Wightman and Miss Lillian Wightman of South Lawrence have been visiting friends in this city. Miss Wightman will spend the next two weeks at Woods Hole, Mass.

Messrs. Samuel and Joseph Langis of Fall River are visiting their brother, Dr. H. E. Langis. The Messrs. Langis are on their way home from the Seminary of Rimouski, which they have been attending.

Mrs. Charles Perkins is visiting friends in Londonderry, N. H.

Mrs. Mary J. Merrill of 51 Fifth street and Miss Nellie Gordon went to Paris, Me., today. They will remain two weeks.

The many friends of Miss Mamie Carroll of the Purity bakery on Fayette street, will be pleased to learn that she will soon be able to leave St. John's hospital where she has undergone a surgical operation.

The Mont Vernon Golf club is attracting a number of Lowell players this year. It is anticipated that matches will be arranged between the Mont Vernon team and the players from the Vesper club and Longmeadow club of this city.

Mr. L. P. Turcotte has returned from a very pleasant visit to Canada. He says he didn't know he had as many relatives as stepped up to him in Canada and said, "Hello Cousin." He believes he has relatives enough there to send him to the house at Ottawa. At a meeting of the Club des Citoyens Americain, last night, Mr. Turcotte gave an illustrated lecture on his trip to Canada.

REPLANKING SIDEWALKS.

A gang of city carpenters are at work replanking the sidewalk on the west side of Centralville bridge. The sidewalks on both sides of the bridge were in need of repair and the people who have occasion to cross the bridge were glad to see the men starting the repairing.

CHASED BY MOB

NEGRO WAS SHOT BY ONE OF THE PURSUERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 13.—Chased by a mob of 100 enraged white men, after he had emptied a revolver at James Saunders to no effect, Kay Woods, a negro, was shot by one of the pursuers.

The riot, the most serious that has occurred in Indianapolis for years, threw the neighborhood of West and Washington streets into intense excitement early yesterday.

"Lynch him! Lynch him!" were the cries and Policeman Dugan, who was passing at the time, narrowly escaped rough treatment as he faced the mob and threatened to shoot the first to lay hands on the colored man.

The bullet which lodged in the negro's arm was from the gun in the hands of Saunders, who was one of those in pursuit. Saunders was shot in the hand. A stray bullet pierced the coat of Mike Casserty, a barber, in Martin Murphy's saloon, where the trouble began. The negro was finally rescued.

JOHNSON ARRESTED

HE IS CHARGED WITH STEALING $45,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DULUTH, Aug. 13—E. E. Johnson, a bookkeeper for the Commercial banking company of this city, was arrested here last evening on a warrant charging him with the embezzlement of $45,000 of the bank's money.

When placed in jail Johnson admitted his guilt, stating that his peculations had extended over a period of eight months, and that he had been able to deceive his employers by manipulation of the books. He declared that he had squandered the money in stock speculation.

President Charles F. Leland of the Commercial banking company said last evening that he had hoped to tide over the affairs of the bank so that it could continue doing business, but found that this was impossible, and the institution was not open for business yesterday.

Johnson is 28 years old and unmarried.

ADMIRAL CERVERA

LEAVES POST AT HEAD OF SPANISH NAVY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MADRID, Aug. 13.—Vice Admiral Cervera, who surrendered to the American fleet off Santiago de Cuba, has resigned the post of chief of staff of the navy to which he was appointed in December, 1902.

SHERMAN MILES

ARRESTED BECAUSE HE DID NOT HAVE LICENSE TAG.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—For riding on the side paths without a license tag displayed upon his bicycle, Sherman, son of Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, retired, has been arrested near East Hampton, L. I. On learning that he was unfamiliar with the laws the justice dismissed the case.

LONDON BROKERS FAILED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 13—F. W. Hemment and James Hasban, stock brokers, have failed.

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NEARLY DEAD

Body Found Adrift in an Open Boat

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—The Morgan line steamer Eldorado, Captain Prescott, which arrived here today from Galveston, had on board a boy 12 years of age, who was found adrift in an open boat about 100 miles off the coast of Georgia on August 10. He was naked and almost dead from exposure. After the lad had been revived somewhat he told Captain Prescott that with two other boys he was fishing outside the harbor of Havana when the boat broke adrift and they were unable to row ashore. Two of the lads, seeing the land rapidly receding, plunged into the water and swam for shore. The other boy was unable to swim so far and remained without food or water until picked up by the Eldorado. He says he was adrift for five days. Captain Prescott thinks the boat could not have drifted 530 miles from Havana to a point where it was sighted in less than six days and possibly longer.

LOSS IS $8000

Big Fire at Boston's North End

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 13.—The North End Savings bank and Schendels Cigar factory on Court street and the furniture store of Hall, Stickney & company on Cornhill, were damaged by fire here today. Although the total loss is estimated at not more than $8000, the fire was in such a dangerous locality and spread so quickly across an alley way in the rear of the bank building that the firemen feared much more damage. Two alarms brought a large force to the spot and the blaze was controlled before it had made great progress in either building, the loss was due mainly to smoke and water.

The fire started in the directors' room of the savings bank. The cause has not been learned.

MINERS KILLED

Crushed to Death by Rocks

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Four miners engaged in placing timbers in a zinc mine at Franklin Furnace, N. J., have been crushed to death by a rock weighing at least 15 tons. They were crushed beyond recognition.

Two other men had narrow escapes, being grazed by the rock.

Two of the dead men were foreigners whose names are not known and two were Americans, named Willis and Stevens.

Since the opening of this shaft, a few years ago, several men have met death there.

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300 Pairs Little Gents' Spring Heel Shoes, sizes 8 to 13½ at **49c,** worth $1.00.

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FINANCIAL BILL

Republicans Want One Agreeable to Democrats

By Associated Press to The Sun

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 13—President Roosevelt's conference with the members of the sub-committee of the senate finance committee was not concluded until the small hours of the morning. The whole subject of financial legislation at the approaching session of congress was discussed thoroughly.

The committee, consisting of Senators Aldrich, chairman; Platt (Conn.), Allison and Spooner, did not present even a tentative draft of a currency bill to the president, although some propositions which subsequently may be embodied in the measure were reduced to concrete form. No definite conclusions as to the shape of the proposed legislation were reached. The conference related more to methods of procedure in the work at hand than to the form of legislation. At 7.30 o'clock this morning the members of the committee left Sagamore Hill, boarded their yacht, the Vergenia, and sailed for Providence on their return to Senator Aldrich's home.

One fact of distinct importance was developed at the conference. While an extraordinary session of congress this fall is assured, it has not been determined definitely whether it will be called to meet in October or November. It has been supposed that the extraordinary session would convene on November 9, but the indications now are that it will be called for an earlier date, perhaps several weeks earlier. The primary purpose of the extraordinary session will be to enact legislation making operative the Cuban reciprocity treaty, but financial legislation also will be pressed upon the attention of congress soon after it convenes.

It can be said that the senate finance committee will draft no measure formally and conclusively until consultations have been held with the members of the senate—democrats as well as republicans—with members of the house and with the best authorities on finance in the country. It is the desire of the committee to be constantly in touch with the president, with other senators, with members of the house and with bankers, so that some plan of legislation may be formulated by the opening of the extraordinary session of congress.

It is the hope of the committee to devise a genuinely electric currency system—a system which will expand when the necessity arises and contract when the necessity shall have ceased to exist. The members of the committee realize fully the difficulty of their work, but it is their desire to prepare a measure that will commend itself to the best judgment of the country, the judgment of democrats as well as republicans.

To this end it can be said all schemes of financial legislation heretofore proposed have been subordinated. What the proposed legislation will be when it is introduced cannot be said at this time. Suggestions which have been made are regarded by the committee as purely tentative, because differences of opinion exist between members of the senate and members of the house which must be resolved before a definite plan for currency legislation can be made with reasonable hope that it will crystalize into law.

Senator Aldrich, when asked by an Associated Press representative with reference to the visit of the senators to the president, said:

"The republican members of the subcommittee of the senate finance committee who recently met for an informal conference at Warwick, R. I., talked with the president about financial conditions and the need of legislative changes. No bill has been drafted or agreed upon and none will be drafted after the fullest consultations with our democratic associates of the subcommittee and all the members of the finance committee. It is, however, our purpose to have a bill in readiness for presentation to the senate at the beginning of the extra session if one is called in October or November. We are hopeful that a bill can be agreed upon and reported that will receive the approval of both houses of congress and afford prompt and efficient relief to the business interests of the whole country."

HELD PRISONER

Mob of Italians Enraged at Their Foreman

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 13—For several hours today Wilbur Edwards, foreman of excavation work at the River Works of the General Electric company here, was held a prisoner in a tower 20 feet high by 350 excited Italian laborers on strike. Edwards was obliged to climb the tower at 11 o'clock this forenoon and at 2 p. m. was still a prisoner, notwithstanding the peaceful efforts of 12 policemen to rescue him.

The workmen had been digging trenches having a total length of 750 feet. During the forenoon Foreman Edwards ordered a man to leave his wheelbarrow for some cause and discharged him on the spot. The man yelled along the line of trenches as soon as he received the peremptory order to leave and with one accord 350 men dropped their tools and made a rush for Edwards. The latter becoming thoroughly alarmed hastened to a conning tower, 20 feet high, which he ascended with the agility of a cat.

The infuriated laborers made a menacing demonstration at the base of the tower, but did not shoot, as any person with firearms could easily have done, at Edwards.

The Lynn police were called on for assistance. Twelve bluecoats were dispatched to the scene in haste and endeavored to persuade the angry Italians to disperse and allow the foreman to descend. The strikers protested against being driven from the ground, declaring that they would not leave until they had been paid.

The Italians were told by the officers that they could not be given their money until Mr. Edwards came down out of the tower as he has charge of the time sheets. Considerable parleying was in progress part of the afternoon. The police did not care to use force against the Italians as no actual violence had been committed. They feared that if an attempt was made to eject the men from the premises a clash would ensue which might have serious results.

At 2 o'clock efforts were still being made to induce the Italians to permit their foreman to descend from his place of refuge.

A further detail of police appeared and then the works were cleared. The strikers, after listening to harangues from fellow workmen in their own language, retired before the advancing line of police, persuaded that their money would be paid to them tomorrow. They disappeared from the yard, though the foreman did not quit the conning tower until the police assured him there was not an Italian within a mile of the place.

The work on the excavation is tied up until the men decide to return to work or another gang is hired.

CHINESE TROOPS DEFEATED BY REBELS

By Associated Press to The Sun

HONG KONG, AUG. 13.—THE CHINESE IMPERIAL TROOPS HAVE BEEN DEFEATED BY REBELS AT HWE CHOU FU IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCE OF KWANG TUNG. IMPERIAL REINFORCEMENTS CONSISTING OF 3000 GERMAN DRILLED TROOPS HAVE ARRIVED AT CANTON.

SHOE STRIKE ON

Harney Bros. of Lynn in Trouble

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 13.—The shoe strike war broke out again this morning when the 80 girls employed at Harney Brothers' shoe factory in the stitching room struck this morning and the 40 cutters employed came out in sympathy with them. The strikers, who are members of the Knights of Labor, with whom the firm made a settlement two months ago after throwing out the union stamp of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union against which the Knights of Labor struck in January, explain that the forewoman of the stitching room has hired help obnoxious to the girls and that this reached a climax today when she put on a Hebrew male stitcher named Strauss, a Boot & Shoe Workers' union man, who was the victim of a street assault in the early days of the strike. Another male stitcher made remarks of an insulting character to one of the girls and the strike followed, the cutters quitting in sympathy. Since discarding the union stamp the firm has run a free shop.

TERRIFIC STORM

NEARLY FOUR INCHES OF RAIN FELL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 13.—A terrific rain storm prevailed in western Missouri and in eastern and Central Kansas last night. All streams rose rapidly, tracks were washed out and one or two bridges damaged. Nearly four inches of water fell in central Kansas.

CLOSING ARGUMENT

IN THE CASE OF JETT AND WHITE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 13.—In the case of Jett and White, Judge L. H. Fryer, commonwealth's attorney, today made the closing argument. Judge Fryer said to the jury that if they turned these men loose they might as well go home and let anarchy and assassins reign. The case went to the jury at 10:46 a. m.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 13—Exchanges $22,013,263. Balances $1,256,197.

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HE SCORED LYNCH

Driscoll Gets After Typo President

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The International Typographical Union convention today was addressed by Frederick Driscoll, commissioner of the Newspaper Publishers Association, who criticised President Lynch and the union for their conduct in the printers' strike at Seattle and Spokane. He said:

"If arbitration had been adhered to according to the obligations of our agreements there would have been no strike or disturbance of our friendly relations."

His address was received with applause and referred to the committee on arbitration.

President Lynch said that when the committee reported he would make a statement in which he hoped to show that the merits of the controversy were not all on one side.

Martin P. Higgins, president of the International Printing Pressmen's association; Corliss P. Lovelace, president of the Boot & Shoe Makers' union, and Mr. Campbell of the Textile Workers of Philadelphia also addressed the convention.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor spoke to the convention of the organization of the employers and said that it was welcome as tending to promote conciliation and harmony with the least possible amount of disturbance, yet he contended that there is an element in those organizations which fails utterly to understand the purposes of unionism and which therefore calculates to injuriously affect the best interests of all. He declared that no effort to destroy unionism could succeed and said that extremists on the side of employers can be compared only to Herr Most. "Parrysism and its parasites," said he, "is the greatest possible tribute to our movement."

The convention adopted an amendment to the by-laws providing that when requested a representative of the Newspaper Publishers' association or the United Typothetae shall be heard on important changes in the laws affecting their interests.

DOHERTY BEAT CLOTHIER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTHAMPTON, L. I., Aug. 13.—H. L. Doherty beat W. J. Clothier of Harvard and Philadelphia in the first set of the match for the finals of the Meadow club tournament, 6-1. Larned won the unfinished semi-final bracket, defeating A. Torrance, 6-3, 6-2.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—Noon—Money on call nominal at 1 and 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5¾ and 6.

Exchanges $179,744,112.
Balances $8,062,641.

OLD HOME WEEK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELFAST, Me., Aug. 13.—The Belfast old home week exercises concluded today with the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the city's charter. A big civic and trades parade was followed by yacht races, games and a reception, tendered by the ladies' improvement society. A display of fireworks and band concert are the evening attractions.

BOAT CAPSIZED

Two Men Lost Their Lives

By Associated Press to The Sun

PASCOAG, R. I., Aug. 13.—James Huber, 40 years of age and Robert Haften, 33, both of Central Falls, were drowned today in Wallum pond, near the site of the state sanitarium. The men, who were guests at the Line Rock club house, started out early this morning in two boats on a fishing expedition to the farther end of the pond. Haften's boat was capsized and he was thrown into the water.

His cries for help were answered by Huber, who, although unable to swim, jumped overboard to the rescue. Both men were drowned before assistance reached them from shore. The bodies were recovered at noon.

Huber is survived by a widow, and Haften by a widow and two children.

CASHIER WILSON

PLACED UNDER ARREST ON FUGITIVE WARRANT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13—John M. Wilson, cashier of the cafe at the Continental hotel, this city, was arrested today on a fugitive warrant from Boston charging him with the larceny of $180 from the firm of Timothy Smith & Co., dry goods merchants of that city. There are 13 indictments against Wilson. He admitted his identity and was held to await requisition papers.

CARS COLLIDED

SEVERAL OF THE PASSENGERS WERE INJURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 13—Two street cars on the Lakewood line of the Jamestown street railway collided today. S. L. Hamilton of Fredonia, N. Y., was seriously cut about the back and hips. Miss Minnie Lawson had her nose fractured and Mrs. Axel Lawson of this city had one of her ribs broken. The motorman escaped by jumping. There was a heavy fog at the time and the tracks were so wet that the cars could not be stopped. All of the injured will recover.

GIRLS INJURED

IN EXPLOSION AT THE U. S. ARSENAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—An explosion yesterday at the United States arsenal at Frankford, a suburb, caused a panic, in which four girls were severely injured.

The girls, Bessie Mills, Anna Little, Pauline Branson, Florence Foster, with about seventy-five other employes, became panic-stricken. Many of them leaped from the windows down a fifteen foot embankment. The explosion was caused by a friction spark igniting a quantity of black powder. The building was only slightly damaged.

COREY RESIGNED

AS PRESIDENT OF THE CARNEGIE COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 13.—At a meeting of the Carnegie Steel company held here today, the resignation of W. E. Corey, as president was accepted, and A. C. Dinckley, elected to fill the vacancy. The office of chairman of board of directors was created and Judge James H. Reed elected. The new president appointed A. R. Hunt, general superintendent of the Homestead Steel works and H. D. William, general superintendent of the Duquesne plant.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00; sales 1297 bales.

MINISTER DISMISHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 13—Riza Pasha, the minister of war, has been dismissed. The vali of Monastir has been exiled to Tripoli.

ELOPER'S DEATH

WAS THE RESULT OF AN ACCIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—As a result of the inquest into the death of Mrs. Mary Welden, held yesterday in Waldwick, N. J., Albert Clark was released.

Clark had run away with Mrs. Welden, who had quarreled with her husband, and was suspected of having thrown her in front of a train Aug. 7 while they were walking from New York to their former home.

Clark laughed while testifying. The jury found the woman was killed by accident.

BADLY DAMAGED

CUTTER YACHT WENONAH WAS IN COLLISION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 13.—The cutter yacht Wenonah, owned by Samuel L. Roosevelt of New York, arrived here today in a badly damaged condition, having been in collision during last night with the fishing steamer Falcon off Faulkner's Island. The vessels met bow on and the cutter being the lighter craft, suffered the more damage, the steamer having no injury to her hull. The Wenonah's bow was crushed in above the water line and her rigging carried away. Immediately after the crash the Wenonah took fire but the crew quickly extinguished the flames. Several persons on the cutter were more or less burned.

WM. E. DODGE BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The funeral of the late William Earl Dodge, who died at Bar Harbor last Sunday, was held today in the Riverdale Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of Union Theological seminary and Rev. Dr. A. Woodruff Halsey officiating. The interment took place in Woodlawn cemetery.

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From Late Editions Yesterday

RICHARD OLNEY

May Preside at State Convention

The name of Richard Olney is to come up for consideration as the chairman of the next democratic convention, and it is practically certain that if he be willing, his name will be agreed upon.

No definite steps have been taken toward sounding him out, and none will be until the executive committee of the state committee holds its meeting late in August. Olney's name will be considered.

A year ago Olney spoke at a big banquet meeting, and it is thought he could be prevailed upon to come out more prominently into active politics. He is in harmony with the management of democratic affairs as now guided.

The time is drawing near when the subcommittee of the state committee will get down to the real work of fixing upon a chairman and the committee on resolutions. The republicans have already made their choice. Already the field is being canvassed for available men who can be considered as "heavy" enough to preside and to make up the resolutions committee.

Congressman Thayer is eliminated as a possibility for chairman, because of his radical position on the new corporation law. Congressman McNary is out of consideration, because he is chairman of the state committee. Congressman Keliher's contest with Conry bars him, while Congressman Sullivan is not believed to be sufficiently well known.

Much weight will be given the wishes of some leaders to give the honor to the western part of the state, that is, if Olney refuses to allow his name to be considered. It is probable that some will urge Mayor Collins, but, aside from Olney or Collins, the choice will probably go outside Boston.

The suggestion of Mayor Collins comes from the belief that it will bring him out for his own campaign later on. Custom forbids mayors from taking the stump. By presiding, it is thought the mayor could make one demonstration and then hold himself in the background, while the organization ran the campaign.

DEATHS

STANLEY—Jabez Stanley, of 7 Bagley avenue, died suddenly while on his vacation at Truro, Mass.. He leaves, besides a wife and daughter, two brothers, James and David Stanley of this city. Deceased was 62 years of age and had been employed for the last ten years at C. J. Hood & Co.'s.

FUNERALS

WELCH—The remains of the late Edward Welch were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the funeral parlors of Charles H. Molloy in Market street at 8:30 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased, including a number of people from out of town.

The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Moore street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., pastor of the church. There was appropriate singing during the service by the church choir.

The bearers were Messrs. Dennis and John Riordan, John Harrington, William Ryan, Owen Maun and Richard Welch.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Nate H. Lewis and Mrs. Mae E. Phillips were married at the parsonage of Rev. D. A. Gannon at Twin Mountains, N. H., on Aug. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will remain at the White Mountains during the summer months where Mr. Lewis is engaged playing in the orchestra at the Mt. Washington hotel.

SEARCHING FOR BODY.

Despite the fact that Undertaker Molloy and his assistants are making a diligent search for the body of Little Johnny Lyman, who was drowned in the Prescott canal Monday afternoon, no trace of the body has been found. There is little doubt that his body is in the river, and a search is being made from the raceway at the Boot mills to Hunt's falls.

LIFE IN THE WOODS.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry C. Speed, pastor of the Baptist church in Monson, Me., and formerly of Lowell, accompanied by Miss Florence Miller of Los Angeles, Cal., and a gentleman friend and his wife, recently went by carriage northward from Monson for a distance of 15 miles. The party then walked farther into the Maine wilderness for ten additional miles, until they reached Lake Sebec, where the quintet are now enjoying gypsy life of the lake and woods.

ALTERING THE STORE.

Workmen started this morning on the alterations to be made in the front of the O'Donnell & Gilbride department store at the corner of Merrimack and Palmer streets.

Miss Ruth Moulton, clerk at A. G. Pollard & Co.'s, is ill at her home, 306 School street.

Miss Axelia Snow of 59 School street is confined to her home with a serious illness.

Employes of the street department are relaying the brick sidewalk in Dutton street, near the corner of Market.

James Hancock, John J. Dolan and Joseph E. McVey will spend the next two weeks at Old Orchard beach.

CRUISER CHICAGO SIGHTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The United States cruiser Chicago, returning from Lisbon, was sighted off the Sandy Hook bar at 1.27 this afternoon bound in.

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All Gorham street cars pass the yard.

THE MOB SPIRIT

Discussed by D. M. Parry at Chatauqua

A RELIC OF THE BARBAROUS STAGE

Special Reference to Organized Labor

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHATAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 13.—D. M. Parry, president of the National association of manufacturers, spoke as follows at Chautauqua, N. Y., today, on the subject of "Mob Spirit in Organized Labor."

"Mob spirit is a relic of the barbarous stage of the human development. It dates back to the time when the race relied upon the purely physical for maintenance. In this sense it is a hatred or contempt for all regulations of government and an attempt by the vicious and ignorant to impress their will upon others by the exercise of physical form.

"Mobs may be spontaneous in growth or their formation may extend over a long period. They may be poorly organized or they may be under good discipline. In this country in the last year there have been many mobs of different kinds but to my mind the most dangerous of them all is the mob of organized labor. No man, I take it, can object to any kind of an association, labor or otherwise, which is organized for lawful and beneficent purposes but organized labor as it is conducted today stands convicted by its own leaders as a lawless organization.

"In that it seeks by physical force to override individual rights and is continually railing against the laws and denouncing courts and public officials for enforcing these laws, it fulfills all the requirements of the definition of mobocracy. Unlike the lynching bees and the vigilance committee it is what might be termed a standing mob under fair discipline by its officers and ready upon occasion to commit the overt acts of outrage and destruction. It asserts that the individual has no inherent rights that cannot be taken from him and that therefore it has the right to say that no man shall work and that no industry shall run without its consent.

"In its attempt to compel recognition of its pretentions to sovereignty it relies not on reason, but upon coercion, intimidation and the bludgeon. In its continual preachments against law and its constant appeal to the baser passions of men, it is doing more than any other agency to inculcate the mob spirit and to encourage the unfurling of the red flag of anarchy.

"The president of the Chicago Federation of Labor recently declared in an interview: 'The president deals a death blow to organized labor when he declares that he cannot discriminate in its favor. It sounds fair on the face of it, but without discrimination we are just where we started. We have been fighting for union to the exclusion of all other.'

"These are words of a conservative among union leaders and they voice the sentiment of the agitators the country over.

"During the last year, the attempts to force men to give allegiance to strike bosses in their plans to set up an oligarchy that will control industry in each of the laws of the country, have resulted in mob conditions in many of the leading centers. Supremacy of law and order has sustained not only many severe shocks but the nation has also lost millions of dollars by the idleness of thousands of men. This loss must fall heavier upon the man who depends upon his daily wage than upon those who have something to fall back upon. It is time that the workmen of this country were learning that for the millions of dollars they pay in salaries to the agitators, they are receiving in return nothing but ceaseless trouble, enforced idleness and loss of the comforts of life. They are also bidding for the destruction of their most precious possession—that of industrial liberty. Their investments in monocracy are simply poor investments."

SURVEYOR KILLED

WHILE AT WORK ON THE N. Y. CENTRAL TRACKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—David J. Pierce of Port Jervis, N. Y., while surveying the new tracks of the New York Central at University Heights, was struck by a train and almost instantly killed yesterday.

The young man was with H. D. Jouett and R. M. Whitcomb. Jouett saw the train coming and called to Whitcomb. Whitcomb yelled to Pierce, and thought he saw him moving away. The next instant Pierce's arm flew past Whitcomb's shoulder and Pierce's body came tumbling along beside the trucks of the train.

THE CABLE HUT

WAS DESTROYED BY THE HURRICANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. THOMAS, W. I., Aug. 13—The hurricane on Wednesday demolished the cable hut, land lines and office at Holland Bay, Jamaica, the landing place of the Porto Rico cables. Communication was restored by rejoining the cables on the beach, an operation of great difficulty.

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By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, AUG. 13.—THE HOUSE OF LORDS TODAY AGREED TO THE IRISH LAND BILL IN THE FORM FINALLY APPROVED BY THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS YESTERDAY ACCEPTED ALL THE AMENDMENTS SAVE TWO UNIMPORTANT ONES, ADDED TO THE BILL BY THE LORDS.

THE MEASURE NOW ONLY A WAITS THE ROYAL ASSENT TO BECOME LAW.

SALISBURY IS ILL

Late British Premier Greatly Exhausted

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Lord Salisbury is seriously indisposed according to information received direct from his family at Hatfield house.

The late premier is greatly exhausted and physicians are in attendance.

HURRICANE WARNINGS

THE TROPICAL STORM MAY MOVE NORTHWARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—The local weather bureau has received the following from Washington:

Observer,
New York.

11 a. m.- Hurricane warnings are continued from Mobile to Dunnellen. Tropical storm apparently central over southeast gulf and will probably move northward over the gulf. Considered dangerous for vessels of all classes over middle and east gulf today and tonight.

GARRIOTT.
(Signed)

COBB'S STATEMENT

REMOVED ARCHITECT COMMENTS ON SHAW'S STATEMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—Henry Ives Cobb, who was removed from the office of special architect of the Chicago federal building, made the following statement today:

"I was appointed as 'special architect under a special act of congress and served Secretaries Carlisle and Gage. As to the rupture between Secretary Shaw and myself, I have only to say that his methods do not conform with my ideas and it is better that he should work with one with less professional reputation at stake."

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET—10.10 a. m.—Opening prices advanced vigorously all around on a large volume of well distributed buying orders. Gains reached a point in Southern Railway, Baltimore & Ohio, Texas Pacific, General Electric, Rock Island and Union Pacific opened wide. There were 4500 shares of Rock Island sold 24¼ to 24½, compared with 23⅞ last night and 2500 shares of Union Pacific sold at 72¾ and 73 ¾, compared with 72 last night. A decline of a point in Republic Steel preferred was the only loss recorded.

WALL STREET—11 a. m.—There was an appearance of profit taking among some of the grangers, Pacific and the United States Steel stocks but without much effect on their prices as the market as a whole rose strongly on the most animated buying seen for many weeks. The active list rose generally from ½@2 points over last night. Urgent bidding for Reading carried the price up 4⅞, amongst the specialties New York Air Brake jumped 6½, General Electric 5½, Consolidated Gas 4½ and American Linseed 3½. Lackawanna dropped 6, but rallied 3. There were some slight recessions before the end of the hour and the market quieted slightly.

Noon—The tide of buying turned into the western stocks and St. Paul and Illinois Central were rushed up 3½. Missouri Pacific 2⅞, Amalgamated 2⅝, Chicago & Eastern Illinois certificate 5½, Toledo, St. Louis & Western pfd. 3 and Union Pacific, Rock Island, Louisville, Wabash and Atchison 2 or over.

Profit taking in Reading under cover of the shift in the buying was detected and prices ran off. Reading and St. Paul yielding 1¾ and Rock Island and Illinois Central a point.

Bonds were strong.

1 p. m.—Offerings of stocks fell away to nominal proportions at the lower prices and the market steadied and became dull. At the end of the hour Reading was rushed up again to 56¾ and the whole market responded. Brooklyn Union Gas jumped 15 points on one transaction.

2 p. m.- Reading touched 57¼ and then rose a fraction higher than before, and Baltimore & Ohio, Ontario & Western, Northwestern and Manhattan had 2 to 2½ points gain. Response elsewhere was less general and a moderate action followed. Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis pfd. fell a point under last night. Irregular fluctuations followed.

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CAPTAIN EMORY

Reports on Accident to Massachusetts

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Official information regarding the accident to the Massachusetts off Rockland, Me., yesterday afternoon, has reached the navy department in two telegrams from Captain W. H. Emory, commanding the battleship Indiana, who is the senior officer present. The department will instruct Captain Emery to stand by the Massachusetts with the Indiana and probably several other vessels until further details of the damage done can be learned. Officials of the department with the facts in their possession are unwilling to discuss the extent of the damage but it is clearly their opinion that the Massachusetts must be repaired at once. This will be done either at Boston or New York.

The first despatch from Capt. Emory, timed 6 p. m., was:

"Massachusetts touched on Egg Rock shoals, going out in thick fog. Compartment A-7, A-97, A-43 filled with water. Leaks limited to these compartments. Massachusetts steamed back herself to Bar Harbor and anchored, the Massachusetts signalled for assistance. Indiana, Scorpion and three torpedo boat destroyers answered signals and accompanied Massachusetts to Frenchman's bay, western anchorage. The destroyers then proceeded without communicating with me. Indiana and Scorpion now anchored alongside Massachusetts. Divers now ascertaining extent damage. When finished will be immediately telegraphed. Damage appears to be entirely confined to compartments named. Request instruction regarding disposition vessel. Request navy department to inform commander-in-chief at first opportunity. Board ordered to investigate damage. Will forward soon as made."

The second despatch sent five hours later was:

"Investigation of injury to Massachusetts cannot be completed until tomorrow, by which time all weight will be removed from forward water confined to compartments previously telegraphed. Feel confident Massachusetts will be able to steam to dock yard. Draft of vessel when leaving Frenchman's bay, 26 feet, 2 inches forward, 26 feet, 10 inches aft. Draft at 6 p. m., 27 feet, 11 inches forward, 26 feet, 2 inches aft.

"Request orders concerning Indiana and Scorpion as they are remaining by orders, standing by Massachusetts. Other vessels here Hartford, Newport, Culogoa, Lebanon. If we are not required to convoy Massachusetts, request to sail immediately to join fleet."

HELD FOR MURDER

Stoughton Italian Held for Grand Jury

By Associated Press to The Sun

DEDHAM, Mass., Aug. 13.—Rosario Dianaro, a Stoughton Italian, is held responsible for the murder of Hiram H. Poole of Canton, by Justice Oscar A. Marden of the district court in an inquest report filed here today. Dianaro is in custody, having been arrested at Stoughton, and held for the grand jury.

Justice Marden today also filed an inquest report on the death of Esther May Foote, aged two years, as the result of a bullet wound from a revolver in the hands of her brother, Percy N. L. Foote, finding that the shooting was accidental.

The Poole murder occurred at Canton, August 2. Justice Marden finds that Mr. Poole died of "hemorrhages caused by wounds wilfully inflicted upon him with a knife by Rosario Dianaro."

ALL-MASSACHUSETTS TEAM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 13.—The British intercollegiate golfers today began a match with the all-Massachusetts team, the second of their contests in this country, on the links of the Essex County club. Weather conditions were as nearly ideal as those of yesterday. Play this morning included five four-ball matches, each match to count one point. For this afternoon two-ball matches were scheduled.

A large crowd followed the play, giving most of their attention to the last four who started, Captain Low and Veverige of the English team and G. F. Wheelock and J. F. Curtis of the county club.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 Cotton.- Futures opened steady. Aug. 12.44; Sept. 10.77; Oct. 9.94; Nov. 9.74; Dec. 9.73; Jan. 9.74; Feb. ——; Mar. 9.76.

HE WANTED TO DIE

Put Gas Pipe in Mouth and Inhaled Gas

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 13—Joseph Smith, 32, unmarried, was found dead on the floor of a room in the Ye Tavern hotel this morning. The burner had been removed from a gas jet, a flexible tube attached and the end of that held in the man's mouth while the gas was turned on full head. The man lived at 1437 Rodman street in this city. No cause for the act has been assigned by his friends.

PARKS IN COURT

Sentence Not Pronounced Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.--Samuel J. Parks, the walking delegate of the housesmiths' and bridgemen's union, recently convicted of assault, appeared in the court today for sentence. After considerable argument, the pronouncement was deferred until Sept. 15. This was done so that Parks might not be embarrassed in his defence on charges of extortion, commencing today in the court of general sessions before Recorder Goff.

DESTROYER DECATUR

CAME VERY NEAR BEING WRECKED WHILE OFF BAR HARBOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—An examination at the New York navy yard of the torpedo destroyer Decatur, which recently ran on Grindstone Neck, off Bar Harbor, Me., revealed the fact that the boat instead of merely sustaining damage to its propeller blades, narrowly escaped being wrecked. The underbody had been scraped by the rock for almost its entire length. The paint had been taken off and in some places small indentations had been made in the bottom plates. Grindstone Neck is composed of many sharp pointed rocks and the boat's escape from serious damage was miraculous. It was found that the propeller shaft was also badly bent.

GULDENSUPPE'S HEAD

FOUND BY THREE BOYS IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—A human head, supposed to be that of William Guldensuppe, who was murdered in 1898, was found today by some boys near the former boundary line between Dutch Hills and Ravenswood, now in Long Island City. The head was wrapped in an old German newspaper and it was found within three blocks of the store where Mrs. Nack bought the oil cloth, the identification of which led to the arrest of the woman and of Martin Thorn.

STORM NOTICE

ISSUED BY WEATHER BUREAU AT WASHINGTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13—The weather bureau this morning issued the following storm notice:

"The centre of the tropical storm has passed into the southeast part of the Gulf of Mexico and will probably move northward over the gulf. Gales dangerous to all classes of vessels are indicated for today and tonight over the middle and eastern gulfs. Wind will probably increase in force and become high on South Atlantic coast Friday."

TO NEW YORK

LAWRENCE MAN WILL PADDLE IN CANOE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Aug. 13.—George Allen, a popular member of the Merrimack Canoe club, started on a novel trip at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Allen intends to go up the Merrimack river in a canoe to Lake Winnipesaukee. From the lake he will go to Sugar river and into Claremont, N. H. At Claremont he will start on a trip down the Connecticut river. Allen will paddle from Claremont to Long Island sound and when he reaches the sound he will try to go to New York in his canoe.

Allen is well equipped for his long journey. He has a small tent in his canoe, a truck for hauling his craft across country when he comes to impassible places in the river, cooking utensils and a gun. He expects to complete the journey in a month.

CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

ANNOUNCED BY BELLS OF SURRY TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ELLSWORTH, Me., Aug. 13—Residents of Surry were awakened at sunrise today by a salute of bells announcing the centennial anniversary of that town. The day's exercises began with a band concert at 8 o'clock, followed by a baseball game, picnic dinner and another concert. A literary program in the afternoon included invocation by Rev. E. A. Bean of Blue Hill, address of welcome by Rev. J. D. McGraw, address on "The Past of Surry," by Dr. R. L. Grindle of Mt. Desert; address by Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of Newton Center, Mass., and speeches by former and present residents. Rev. F. L. Hayward spoke on "The Future of Surry."

ALI PASHA DISMISSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 13.—Ali Riza Pasha has been dismissed from his position as vali of Monastir and has been exiled to Tripoli.

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HELD IN $3000

Negro Scott Sent to the Grand Jury

By Associated Press to The Sun

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 13.—Sam Scott, the negro charged with breaking and entering the house of Charles W. Clifford and murderously assaulting Clifford and his brother-in-law, George Heald, was today held for the grand jury and in default of $3000 bonds, he was remanded to Dedham jail.

Scott was arrested the day after the affair at the Clifford house and after at first denying all knowledge of the affair, he told the police that a pal with whom he was travelling as a tramp, committed the deed. Last night, however, the police say, he admitted to them that he alone was responsible.

Both Heald and Clifford were seriously injured by the negro whom they had interrupted in robbing the house and who used a knife in fighting the men. Both were cut in many places Heald having been in a dangerous condition for some days.

READING GAINED

Feature of the Stock Market

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The noteworthy feature of today's stock market during the early session, in the course of which prices advanced very generally, was the smart gain in Reading common. That stock jumped almost 5 points in the first hour and more than 100,000 shares changed hands up to 11.30 o'clock. There has been a fairly large short interest in Reading for Reading for some weeks and today the shorts rushed frantically to cover.

Reading is controlled by Lake Shore and Baltimore & Ohio, which are simply other names for New York Central and Pennsylvania. It is reported that Reading may be taken over by Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, that road to guarantee dividends on the common stock and retire the second preferred. As yet nothing of an official character has developed. Reading lost some of its gains by noon, but in common with the balance of the list held firm.

HEAVY DAMAGE

Fire in Block in Springfield

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 13—A special from Great Barrington says:

Fire broke out this morning in the annex of the Berkshire block here. The fire started in the rooms of Prof. Shurr, which are devoted to his work as a naturalist. The annex is occupied by Manley's tailoring establishment J. T. Harper's drug store, Giddings & Giddings, attorneys, and the entire top story is used by the Odd Fellows. The fire proved stubborn and was not placed under control until after an hour, the damage by water being greater than by fire.

CALLED FOR MAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 13.--The United States steamship Vixen, which left Bar Harbor yesterday with the North Atlantic squadron for Long Island Sound put in here today, evidently after the mail.

LOSS IS $250,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 13.—President Preston of the United Fruit company places the damage to his company's property by reason of the Jamaica hurricane, at an amount not exceeding $250,000. He states that the principal damage has been to the growing fruit which cannot be made up.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of John, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Duffy, sons of Mary Duffy, formerly of Fall River. Address Eliza Daley, care The Sun office.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

Corrected to June 22, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.40, 6.23, *6.30, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.50, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.55, w2.30, w3.10, x3.03, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.19, 8.42, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 5.58, 8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, 5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.50, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 8.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.30, 8.45, p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, y2.30, 3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, Northampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 3.55 p. m. until Sept. 4, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Cantine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 6.40, 6.28, 7.31, 7.48, 9.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, 8.46, 9.20, 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.59, *10.39 a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, 1.39, *1.54, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, 11 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; 12.09, 1.39, 5.39, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For Tilton, Laconia, Lakeport, Weirs, Meredith and Plymouth, 7.30, *9.59 a. m.; 1.54, 5.39 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.03 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.54, *b9.10 p. m.

References:—
jVia Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
qWednesdays and Saturdays only.
wVia Western Division.
xVia Bedford. yVia Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
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WANTED—Girl for general housework. 110 Powell street.

WANTED—Energetic, intelligent woman to canvass boarding houses and restaurants of Lowell for food article. Apply at Brown's grocery, 69 Gorham street, Friday morning, 10 to 11.

WANTED—Ladies and gents; we pay $12 per 1000, cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp. Monarch Supply Co., Box 3, Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Young men to learn to last shoes. Apply Stover & Bean's, Hood building.

WANTED—Man to take care of horses, who understands driving. Apply at F. E. Putnam's restaurant, Sun building.

WANTED—A meat and vegetable cook at once. Apply 1 Merrimack corp.

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WANTED—Good chamber girl, kitchen girl and table girl at 53 Lee street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Lady's gold watch, Sunday. Owner's name on inside case. Finder rewarded at 356 Market street.

LOST On 6.20 train from Boston, lady's red silk umbrella. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Gold brooch pin of dull gold. Return to Davis square drug store and receive reward.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A black and tan rabbit hound; owner's name and license number on collar; was last seen tied in yard on Hampshire street. Liberate or inform J. Southworth, 101 Vermont avenue, Dracut, and avoid further trouble.

LOST—A pocketbook containing a large sum of money and three railroad tickets on Broadway car. Finder rewarded at A. O. Knapp's paper store, 33 Branch street.

LOST—Lady's storm coat between Wilder street, Lowell, over town of Andover and city of Lawrence. Return to 43 Central street. Liberal reward.

LOST—Wedding ring in vicinity of Gorham and Moore streets. Return to 38 Moore street. Mrs. Houghton.

LOST—Saturday evening on Coral street, a purse containing sum of money and H. C. S. class pin. Reward if returned to F. M. Perkins, 133 Branch St.

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FOR SALE—A store and two tenements at 42 and 44 Summer street, with 5300 square feet of land; also a three-tenement block in the rear; all in good repair; rents for $60 per month. For information apply to Mrs. Cross on the premises.

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IF YOU WANT to sell your real estate communicate with me quickly; I have customers; best forms fire, life and endowment insurance written. M. J. Sharkey, Swan building, 26 Central street.

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WANTED—A situation by respectable middle-aged woman at light housework, or would take care of one or two children. Apply at Sun office.

WIDOW LADY, 52, capable, neat and trustworthy, wishes employment with respectable well-to-do people. Address 286 Worthen street, corner Broadway.

SITUATION WANTED by a young lady who was living with her mother in Riverside park and who lost their home in the recent dynamite explosion; she is anxious to work to help build another home for the family of six, who lost everything except the clothing they wore at the time; she would like a situation as a clerk or saleslady; she is an experienced typewriter operator. Address M., care Sun office.

PROTESTANT WOMAN would like situation as housekeeper; no children preferred. Address 58 Race street.

WANTED—Situation as stationary fireman; first-class license, six years' experience; good references; can go to work at once. Address T. C., Sun.

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TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, modern improvements, on Lawson street. Inquire at 61 Queen street.

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TO LET—House in Nesmith street of 12 rooms, hot and cold water, bath and furnace heat; in good repair. Apply 468 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, Prince street; tenement of 5 rooms, Moody street; tenement of 5 rooms, Central street; rent low. Apply 468 Central street.

TO LET—Three newly finished and newly furnished rooms; good rooms for man and wife or for nurses. 216 Westford street.

TO LET—Two good tenements on Fayette street; also good tenement on Middlesex place. Inquire J. W. Heery, 65 Merrimack street.

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FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes. Poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

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MRS. P. H. COREY offers her sympathy to the afflicted and wishes to call the attention of the people whose homes have been destroyed by the awful explosion that they may have anything in her store at cost price and delivered free. Mrs. P. H. Corey, General Supply House, 197-199 Middlesex street.

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WANTED—Tenement of three or four rooms, near city hall. Address, stating rent and convenience, J. B. H., Sun office.

WANTED—Cheap driving horse. Call at 60 Grove street Sunday or evenings before 8.

ROOMS to paint, paper and whitewash; stock and labor $4 per room, first class work. Send postal and I will call with samples of paper, or call at store, 244 Lakeview avenue. M. A. Gilligan & Son.

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WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford. Take Boston car, second house on right past city line.

ST. CHARLES BARBER SHOP, 405 Middlesex street; 5 first-class workmen; under the management of Louis Joy. Your patronage solicited.

SUMMER RESORTS.

"THE OCEANSIDE"—Formerly the Bay View hotel, under the management of Mrs. Roby, has been remodeled and newly furnished; this place has always been a favorite resort with Lowell people; rates $1 and $1 25 per day.

THE WASHINGTON, Hampton Beach; comfortable rooms by the day or week; cafe on the European plan; all home cooking; souvenir sea shells and novelties.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR JULY

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of July, 1903, was **15,459** A gain of 1852 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Aug 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞ An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Can it be possible as rumored that General Wood, recently plain Dr. Wood, is to take the place of Governor Taft of the Philippines?

The relief work for the explosion sufferers goes on apace. An appeal has been sent out to papers throughout the state. It is hoped that it will bear fruit.

Tonight Jim Corbett seeks a further proof of his lost powers as a pugilist. It requires a knockout blow from the champion, Jeffries, to convince Corbett beyond peradventure that his boxing days are over.

The trail of the great explosion can be traced into the office of every lawyer in town. Once the responsibility is fixed the claims for damages will pour in mayhap with overwhelming effect upon the guilty parties.

Between the state and metropolitan police and the newspapers Revere beach has been greatly damaged as a summer resort and still the fight goes on. In this respect the beach reservation and the town are not to be confounded.

Judge Emmons has issued an order authorizing an officer to use his revolver whenever molested by anybody in the discharge of his duty. Emmons knows not nor does he seem to care to what extent this authority may be used unwarrantably to the detriment of the general public.

Alas for the West Indies! Martinique, St. Vincent and Guadaloupe have had their terrible visitations and now Jamaica has been swept by a cyclone. In the olden time it would have been said that these islands had surely incurred the direst wrath of the gods.

William S. Allen, who as treasurer of the Methodist Preachers' Aid society, embezzled $136,000, has a heavy responsibility resting upon his shoulders. No doubt many a poor struggling preacher was subjected to hardship, privation and indignity through Allen's pilfering. The money subscribed to help such men went into the maws of the stock jobbers. If Allen be caught an example should be made of him.

TIMELY PRECAUTION NECESSARY.

The Paris horror in which two trains were burned in an underground tunnel and a great many lives lost by suffocation and otherwise, may well engage the attention of every large city in the world in which subways or tunnels are used for public travel. A similar catastrophe is likely to occur in any of the tunnels unless extra precautions be exercised.

The great explosion and its terrible effect in death and disaster caused many cities to move powder magazines to a safe distance. In a similar way should the Paris horror cause the metropolitan cities to guard against such catastrophes by timely precautions.

Boston is constructing a tunnel to East Boston and she has her subways besides. If a car or a number of cars caught fire in the subway, it is doubtful if the ventilation would be sufficient to prevent the suffocation of all the passengers. It is stated that the New York tunnel is not a whit more safe than the Paris tunnel in which the disaster occurred. If this be so it is time some steps were taken by that city to provide for the public safety.

Such horrors although bringing death and suffering to the victims bear a useful lesson to the entire world and to all succeeding ages on defects of construction in the tunnel and in the mechanism by which the fire was started.

It is true that the disaster could easily have been averted had intelligent judgment been exercised but on the contrary it rested with a man who did not seem to realize the responsibility placed in his hands, to say that nothing was to be feared when he was told to stop to avert accident.

GENERAL MILES TO THE FORE.

General Miles is being talked of for head of the Grand Army and no doubt he will be selected for that honor. No other general in the United States today can show such a record of valor in such a long line of battles as can General Miles. He passed through the terrific battles of the Civil war and every war that this country has seen since with the exception of the Philippine, if that can be called a war.

In recent years his record has excited the envy of some small men such as General Alger who lost no opportunity of snubbing and belittling Miles. During the war with Cuba Alger kept Miles in the rear and pushed his favorite, the bloated General Shafter, to the front by putting him in charge of the army. All Shafter could do was to lie in his hammock four or five miles to the rear of the army, whereas had Miles been the commander he would have been with his men on the firing line and a different story would have been told of the result.

Even the simplest details of that skirmish—it did not deserve the name real war when the battles of the civil war are to be considered—were so mismanaged that the army became the laughing stock of the world. The only piece of generalship shown was that conducted by General Miles in Porto Rico. While trying to belittle Miles and to disregard his counsel, Alger so mismanaged things that hundreds of lives were lost as a result of unsanitary conditions and improper food. The responsibility for the "embalmed beef" spoken of by General Miles was laid at Alger's door and after a good deal of bantering he was driven into retirement.

The present administration has in a quiet way followed the course pursued by Alger but did not carry it to extremes. Gen. Miles was regarded as a dangerous man politically. That is why he was snubbed by Alger and subsequently by Root. He would have been removed by President Roosevelt but for the danger of his appearing as an opposition candidate for the presidency. He is now a free man disentangled from the restraint and the responsibility of official position. He is free to speak and to act according to his judgment and is in all respects a man who from his long, valiant and honorable services to his country as a soldier deserves to be honored by the people of the United States.

President Roosevelt was elected vice president on his war record. He fired a few shots at San Juan hill and among other acts of daring shot down a fleeing defenseless Spaniard. That is the extent of his triumphs as a warrior and a rough rider. Compared with Miles as a man and a patriot Roosevelt, the politician appears very small indeed.

In regard to statesmanship, of course it is outside the province of both men, but in a political contest between the two, we believe the people would be inclined to honor Miles. It is for this reason that Miles is now and has been feared by Roosevelt as he was feared by the small fry of which Alger is the most despicable type. Although retired and advanced in years Miles is still energetic enough to assert himself in politics and throw a few bombshells into the republican camp.

SEEN AND HEA..D

It is very evident that people do not always say what they mean when they are excited or anything is bothering them. A local undertaker tells the following story which goes to prove the above assertion: I was called to a house one day to take care of the body of a woman who died and upon arriving at the house I encountered three women who were weeping most bitterly and several other women, presumably neighbors, who were trying to console them. One of the women in the room knowing me tapped one of the members of the family on the shoulder and said: "This is the undertaker." The woman who was a sister of the deceased came up to me and while wiping the tears with her handkerchief held out her right hand to me and said: "I am glad to see you."

Speaking of undertakers there is another story going the rounds which is perfectly true and one which undertakers encounter very often. While some people will buy habits and suits from the undertaker in which to dress the deceased, many people have a suit belonging to the deceased placed on the body. A local undertaker tells of going to a house once and after measuring the body told the woman to have the underclothing and suit ready to place on the body when he came back with the casket. He returned in about an hour and the woman seemed to be worried about something. When the undertaker asked for the clothing she brought out two suits of clothes and said to the man: "Now these are both good suits, but I believe that this brown one will wear better than the black one."

REV. EDWARD FOWLER

MADE DOMESTIC PRELATE TO THE POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—The pope received Cardinal Satolli yesterday who inquired regarding the appointment of a new secretary of state in succession to Cardinal Ramotlla and again suggested Vincenzo Vannutelli as the best fitted for the position. Cardinal Satolli then proposed the appointment of Father Edward Fowler, secretary to the Rev. J. J. Harty as a domestic prelate to the pontiff, which post carries with it the title of monsignor. The pope granted the request. Cardinal Gibbons will come to Rome Friday to assist at the consecration on Saturday of the Rev. J. J. Harty as archbishop of Manila.

PLOT DISCOVERED

MURDER OF PRESIDENT OF SANTO DOMINGO PLANNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Despatches from Santo Domingo say that a plot to murder General Alejandro Wos Y Gil, the president, has been discovered and that there have been many arrests.

President Wos Y Gil overthrew the former president, General Horatio Vasquez, at the time of the revolution last spring and proclaimed himself president, being subsequently elected. His election was proclaimed by congress July 22.

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A NEW CHAMPION

Neil Knocked Out Harry Forbes

BLOW IN STOMACH DID THE TRICK

End Came in Second Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Frank C. Neil of San Francisco won the bantam weight championship of the world last night when he landed a left swing in the pit of Harry Forbes' stomach in the second round of a scheduled twenty round fight. Forbes by virtue of holding the championship was a two to one favorite in the betting, but Neil in spite of that fact, had many local supporters. In the first round of the fight no effective blows were landed until Forbes who appeared in splendid condition began to show himself as the heavier boxer of the two, but he could not land effectively.

When they came up for the second round Neil slashed out with his left and landed a terrific punch on Forbes' stomach. The ex-champion doubled up like a jackknife and fell over backward. He lay in the corner of the ring gasping for breath but managed to get up before ten seconds were counted. Neil went at his man like a young tiger and rained a shower of blows on the almost defenceless Forbes. Another punch in the stomach sent Forbes down again and Referee Graney counted him out. Neil evidently did not hear the end of the count for as Forbes struggled to his feet Neil handed another on the jaw and sent his man under the ropes. There was a vigorous cry of foul from the Forbes people, but as the man had already been counted out it was of no avail. Johnny Regan of St. Louis challenged the winner.

HORSE THIEF

PLACED UNDER ARREST IN SOUTHBRIDGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 14.—A special from Southbridge says:

Wilfred Amoyt, 23, of Woonsocket, R. I., charged with stealing two horses from Stephen Howland of South Woodstock, Conn., was arrested yesterday afternoon in Southbridge, and both horses and a buggy which was stolen, were recovered. Amoyt admits his guilt.

BURNED TO CRISP

LITTLE BOY HAD BEEN SMOKING CIGARETTES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 14.—John Thornton, aged 10 years was burned to a crisp at his home in North Londonderry six miles from this city, yesterday afternoon, the feet being burned completely off. The boy had been smoking cigarettes and it is supposed that the little shanty near the house caught fire from a match which he may have thrown down. Presumably he went in to attempt to extinguish the flames when he was suffocated and perished in the flames.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

COUNCILMAN FEAS DESPONDENT FOR SOME TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Aug. 14.—Andrew Feas, 32, a member of the common council, committed suicide in the woods near his home yesterday afternoon by shooting himself four times and then stabbing himself and cutting his throat with a knife. He had been despondent for some days. A searching party found his body yesterday.

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WILL PLAY IN TALL HAT CRICKET GAME.

U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic Asso. will hold its annual tall hat game on the Wigginville grounds tomorrow, Aug. 15, when one of the most laughable games will be seen in a year by men who are termed "has beens" or never has beens and everybody who witnessed last year's game of the "Two Corners" knows what a good time they had.

There will be all kinds of sports including 50-yard dash for men, 100-yard dash for boys, egg and spoon races, potato race, obstacle race, races for single and married women, and a fat man's race for men over 45 years, for which suitable prizes will be given.

After the games dancing will be indulged in to the music of Griffith's band, which will also give a concert during the afternoon, and the grounds will be beautifully illuminated with Japanese lanterns. A full list of the players is as follows:

George Emsley, George Kitchener, M. Duzan, Wm. Wilkinson, C. W. Needham, J. P. Walsh, J. H. Barry, J. J. O'Connell, Wm. Hardy, T. H. Boyle, Joe Marsden, John M. Dunphy, J. G. Birtwell, Tom Whitaker, Chas. McAskell, John Crawford, John Carson, Alfred Kay, James Smith, J. Murray, Fred Rourke, Ruth Asquith, J. McElhoim, James Terry, Joseph Rawsley, W. Riley, Fred Law, T. J. Moore, Wm. Fitzpatrick, George Fox.

Mayor Howe has signified his intention to be present and bowl the first over in the game.

STINSON INJURED

BICYCLE RIDER FELL FROM HIS WHEEL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 14.—After riding a mile and a quarter in the first heat of a three cornered motor paced race, Stinson had a fall as the tire of his front wheel came off. He was cut in several places but no bones were broken. Harry Caldwell was given the heat. Stinson defeated Benny Munroe in the second heat by three fourths of a lap. Time, 7:28 2-5. Caldwell easily beat Stinson in the final heat, passing him three times. Time 7:22. Marcus Hurley from scratch, won the two mile amateur handicap in 4:15 4-5; Fred Ernst (30) was second and C. L. Holister of Springfield (50) was third. Attendance—2500.

GOVERNOR PEABODY

WILL NOT RECALL WARRANT FOR BURTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 14.—Gov. Peabody yesterday refused to recall the warrant granted by him for the extradition to Massachusetts of Francis L. Burton, a mining man, who has been convicted in the Massachusetts courts of having obtained $2500 under false pretences from the Boston and Albany railroad company. A writ of habeas corpus was secured in the district court to prevent Burton being hurried out of the state. This will have to be disposed of before he can be taken east. After sentence is passed upon him, application will be made to the governor of Massachusetts for a pardon for him.

MRS. STEVENS

NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE MAINE HIGH LICENSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, national and state president of the Women's Christian Temperance union, who recently returned from Geneva, Switzerland, where she addressed the world's convention, said she never expected to see Maine become a high license state.

She does not believe an attempt will be made at the coming special session of the legislature to bring up the question of re-submission. Advice received by the W. C. T. U. leaders denotes that the legislature will re-submit the question to the people.

She said a secret conference was held yesterday of the workers attending the New England inter-state institute at Old Orchard, where the different temperance organizations throughout the states as well as the rangers were urged to work for securing proper enforcement in Maine.

JUDGE EMMONS

WANTS AN INCREASE OF $1000 A YEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Judge Emmons, chairman of the board of police commissioners, asked for an increase in salary of $1000 a year for himself and each of his colleagues at a special legislative hearing at the state house yesterday. Judge Emmons advocated that the money received from dog licenses which now is divided among the commissioners as part of their salary should be paid into the city treasury. The hearing was before a special legislative committee appointed to consider the question of abolishing court fees.

SOME CYCLE NEWS

Of Interest to the Wheelmen

"Kramer is about the last man most people would have picked out to win a six-day race, even one with such short riding periods as that at Providence," remarked an old racing man who has followed the game since the days of the high wheel. "And yet it merely goes to show that a man never knows what he can do until he tries.

"Now, there was Arthur Zimmerman. No one would ever have picked him as a man to excel in anything but the style of racing in which he scored nearly all of his triumphs—that is, from the quarter up to five miles. But the year the 'Jersey Skeeter' carried off most of the English championships—all that he started in, if I remember correctly—he turned from winning the mile on one day to the fifty mile on the following one, and won it just as easily as he did the others. He had never undergone any special training for such a long distance, but he learned that all the best English riders tried to scoop the long as well as the short distance championships, and he made up his mind that if Osmond and the rest of them could do this he could also.

"So he extended his practice spins, putting in five or ten miles after doing some sprinting, and once he rode about twenty or twenty-five miles. But until he started in the race he had never gone anywhere near fifty miles at speed, and he was about the only one in the American camp who had faith in his lasting qualities. Bless you, though, he lasted all right, and won just about as easy as he did any of the other races."

"It was much the same way with poor Harry Elkes. I remember well when he made his first big coup. It was back in the late 90's about '97, if memory serves, and Tom Linton was in the heyday of his glory. He and Elkes were matched to ride an hour behind pace at Philadelphia, Elkes being an eleventh hour selection, the man originally picked for the purpose having been hurt or something of the kind. Up to that time Harry had been dubbing around, riding sprint races and slowly making his way up toward the front. But he was very far from being a top notcher even in the sprints, and as for long distance plugging—well, no one had ever given him a thought in that connection.

"I think the race took place at the Willow Grove track, then only built a short time. Linton's only anxiety was to have Elkes make a respectable showing, and he prepared to take things easy so as to put some heart in the Glens Falls boy and not make it a runaway at the start. But it proved to be almost that, only the shoe was on the other foot. Elkes took the bit in his teeth almost at the pistol fire, and, getting a slight lead before Linton knew what was happening to him, he kept on and widened the gap until he had lapped the Welshman repeatedly.

"The news went all over the country, and Elkes jumped at once into the position he ever afterward retained. He was a long distance star of the first magnitude, while that night—it was a Saturday night—Linton's decline began. He was never able to do as well after that, although he tried hard and for several years was able to keep pretty near the top.

"To return to Kramer, I think that he shows that a good man can shine at any distance. It is all a matter of training and of confidence. Let a man think he can do a thing, and make some preparation for it, and the chances are that he will win out."

Take two men of equal speed. One of them will beat the other on the track, and the defeated one will turn the tables. A well known racing man who has studied this problem claims that the ankle throw causes it, and illustrates his point as follows: The track man rides with the pedals set well toward the toe, thus giving him great sprinting power and a much longer ankle throw. The road rider's pedal is fixed well toward the middle of the foot, giving him greater power, most of the work being done by the thigh. If a path man wants to hold his own he will have to move the cleats on his shoes half an inch further back, and he will be surprised at the result. To the road rider who aspires to fame on the path: Move your cleats forward or have the toeclips well back.

BEST WORLD'S RECORD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—"Major" Taylor yesterday reduced the world's bicycle record for 300 metres from 18 4-5 seconds to 18 seconds at the Velodrome Buffalo.

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PUBLIC FUNERAL

NINETEEN VICTIMS OF PARIS DISASTER BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—An imposing public funeral was held at the prefecture yesterday of nineteen victims of the Metropolitan railroad tunnel catastrophe, whose bodies were unclaimed. Premier Combes delivered a short address, promising measures of relief for the families of the victims, while the president of the municipality spoke of the universal sympathy displayed throughout the world. The bodies were then borne to Notre Dame cathedral, where the religious ceremony was held and afterwards interred in various cemeteries.

COMMUNICATION.

Mr. Editor:

Readers of the local newspapers will see articles about the trustees of the Edson cemetery now and then, how much they are doing in beautifying the city's cemetery and how kind it was of them to give a deed to an old lady at the old lady's home without it costing her one cent, while Tommy Dickson, the blind man, who earns an honest dollar by the selling of lead pencils, etc., had to pay $15 for his lot recently and he hasn't got his deed yet. Then you will read again that the trustees are getting very kind and generous and are going to have a soldiers' lot where all the bodies of the old soldiers of the civil war who now lie in their last rest in different parts of the burial ground are to be removed body and bones in this beautiful spot. The little town of Lawrence, down the river, has had for the last 25 years a soldiers' lot. The little city's cemetery trustees didn't wait 40 years to find a burial place for all of the friendless old soldiers like other cities of 100,000 inhabitants have done. The wrong doings of the management of the Edson cemetery can be placed by the voters on the republican party. I have had a mother buried there since 1871 and for the last five years I have been trying to reclaim my lot. The trustees say they can seize lots and remove bodies from them whenever they like. Who gave them all of this power? The state didn't. The book of acts and resolves of Mass., 1891, which can be seen in the public library by calling for it in the reference room, don't say so. What it does say a school boy of 12 years can understand. "The trustees," it says, "of which there shall be three, are to have the care, management and superintendence of all city cemeteries." It doesn't say the trustees have the right to rob the lot owners of their dead or to threaten to do so. For the last 50 years up to a few months ago it was thoroughly understood by all the older grantees that they had a bona fide claim to their lots when they took them up. Now the present trustees want to make the owners out as squatters. The act of May 16, 1891, regarding public burial grounds don't make any changes in my opinion in regard to the claims of the lot holders. What the state granted was a privilege to go outside the cemetery fence and buy land and seize it if necessary and to pay its owner a legal value but never to take lots away from the living where their dead lies buried. The bible says let the dead rest, but perhaps the trustees of the cemetery never heard of the bible.

F. A. ROLFE

CLERK SMITH ARRESTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 14.—Edmund J. Smith, former discount clerk in the Merchants National bank of this city, who is accused of having stolen $20,000 from the bank and who disappeared about two weeks ago, has been arrested in Williamson, Va. A detective will leave at once to bring him back.

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FINE FIELDING

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Lawrence Went Down Again in a Well Played and Interesting Game—Four Sharp Double Plays Among Features

A bad fourth inning put Lawrence out of the running at Spalding park yesterday but during the rest of the game the down river boys worked continuously and hence the exhibition was interesting throughout, while four sharp double plays and a couple of sensational catches and fielding plays gave the audience ample opportunity to enthuse.

Some 1500 turned out and it was one of the most enthusiastic crowds seen in a long time. They were ready to cheer any good play and were given a chance.

Lawrence hit Hooker harder than Lowell hit Beard but Hooker kept them scattered while Lowell's were more timely. Then Lawrence made errors at the wrong time while Lowell's misplays did no damage except to fielding records.

The game in detail:

Sammy Bernard was the first up and Buck walked him. O'Hara knocked any number of fouls down the first base line and Buck fanned him. Bernard stole second. Valdois died between McLaughlin and Lake. Murch got a hand as he stepped up and Hooker got one as he struck him out.

For Lowell, Hafford couldn't fathom Board's benders and struck out. Bigbie flied to O'Hara. Merritt hit to Valdois and was out at first.

Second inning: Conroy caught a high one and made a single. Klobe sacrificed to Lake. Gene Hart lifted the ball to left center for two bases, scoring the giant. Coveney hit one to the left field fence that looked like a dead sure two bagger but Bigbie made a sensational running catch and Coveney was out. Beard hit to Connors and was third out.

For Lowell, Coveney made a great running catch of Lake's foul fly. Grant had a walk to first. Grant stole second and the pitch being wild took third. He scored on McLaughlin's single. Connors placed a single in right, sending Barney to third. Cross sent a fly over Bernard's head but Sammy caught it and nailed Connors off first.

Score, one up.

Third inning: Bernard opened with a clean single by first base. O'Hara bunted to Lake and Connors covered second. The Lawrence crowd called Sullivan "a bum" on the decision but O'Hara admitted that he was out. Valdois foul flied to Merritt and Murch flied to Bigbie. In Lowell's half, Hooker fanned out, Hafford died, Murch to Conroy. Bigbie was the next victim to fan.

Fourth inning: Conroy batted a fly into Grant's hands. Klobedanz hit over Bigbie's head but in rounding first base Kloby fell all over himself and he only got one base on the hit. Klobey was hurt and Bunyan ran for him. Hart popped a foul fly to Merritt. Coveney hit a grounder that belonged to McLaughlin but Hafford butted in with one hand and Coveney got a hit that didn't belong to him. Beard died. Hooker to Lake. For Lowell, Merritt singled and got second on a wild pitch. Valdois fumbled Lake's grounder. Grant bunted to Beard who fumbled and the bases were filled. McLaughlin's best was a foul fly to Coveney. After Coveney and Beard had had a long talk together Connors flied to Hart and Merritt scored. Cross then knocked a two-bagger that scored Lake and Grant. Hooker hit to Beard and died at first.

Score, Lowell 4; Lawrence, 1.

Fifth inning: Benard fanned out. Everyone thought O'Hara had a safe hit back of second but Billy Connors did some great sprinting and gobbled the ball. He had hardly got back when Valdois hit a line drive and Billy grabbed that.

At this point Klobedanz retired from the game and Bunyan took his place in right field. Hafford flied to Conroy. Bigbie died, Valdois to Conroy. Merritt got four bad ones. He started to steal second just as Lake hit to Murch for three out.

Sixth inning: Murch died on a grounder to McLaughlin. Conroy singled to center. Bunyan hit to McLaughlin and a double play resulted.

For Lowell, Grant got first on a bad throw by Murch and he promptly stole second. He scored on McLaughlin's little single to left by great running, while Barney got to second on the throw home. Connors in trying to sacrifice bunted into Beard's hands and McLaughlin was doubled at second. Cross fanned.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 1.

Seventh inning: Hart got a single to left and Bigbie's fumble gave him second. Coveney went out, Connors to Lake. Beard went out the same way but Hart scored. Bernard put a fly over first base and Connors got it. In Lowell's half Hooker went out, Valdois to Conroy. Hafford drew a base on balls. Bigbie got a crack in the arm. Merritt flied to Bernard. Lake finished the inning, Bernard to Conroy.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 2.

Eighth inning: O'Hara died. Connors to Lake. Valdois went to second on a bad throw by Hafford. Murch got first on an excusable error by Bigbie. But Conroy hit to McLaughlin and Barney made a pretty double play. For Lowell, Grant went out, Murch to Conroy, and so did McLaughlin. Connors flied to Valdois.

Ninth inning: Bunyan flied to Cross. Hart fanned out. Coveney got a scratch hit. Beard made a two bagger that scored Coveney, but Bernard died, Connors to Lake.

The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bigbie lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
Merritt c	3	1	1	1	6	0	0
Lake 1b	4	1	0	0	11	1	0
Grant m	2	3	0	0	1	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	2	2	2	4	0
Connors 2b	4	0	1	1	4	5	0
Cross rf	3	0	1	2	1	0	0
Hooker p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	5	5	6	27	11	3

LAWRENCE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Bernard 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	0
O'Hara lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Valdois ss	4	0	0	0	2	3	1
Murch 3b	4	0	0	0	0	4	1
Conroy 1b	4	1	2	2	11	0	0
Klobedanz rf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Bunyan rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hart m	4	1	2	3	1	0	0
Coveney c	4	1	2	2	6	0	0
Beard p	4	0	1	2	1	2	1
Totals	31	3	9	11	24	11	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	*—5
Lawrence	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—3

Summary: Earned runs, Lawrence 2. Two base hits, Cross, Hart, Beard. Stolen bases, Grant 2, Merritt, Lake, Bernard. Sacrifice hits, Grant, O'Hara, Klobedanz. Double plays, McLaughlin and Lake 2, Bernard and Conroy, Beard and Valdois. Bases on balls, off Hooker, off Beard 3. Struck out, by Hooker 4, by Beard 4. Wild pitch, Beard 2. Passed ball, Merritt. Hit by pitched ball, Bigbie. Time of game, 1.45. Umpire, Sullivan. Attendance, 1500.

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FALL RIVER WON BOTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Aug. 14.—Fall River took both games of a double-header from Manchester yesterday afternoon, scoring a shut out in the second game. The champions could do nothing with Gilroy in the first game, while Fall River batted Morrissey out of the box. The latter's support was not of the best, however.

In the second game Courneen was very effective, keeping hits well scattered, while Whiting was found easily by the local batsmen. Sensational fielding features were contributed by Bowden, O'Hara and Ball.

Scores by innings:

(First Game.)

Fall River .....0 0 0 4 0 2 0 0 x—6
Manchester .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

Torned runs—Fall River. Two base hits—O'Hara, Warren, Leith. Three base hit—Kane. Stolen bases—O'Hara, Kapp. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Morrissey 2, off Gilroy 2. Struck out—By Gilroy 2, by Morrissey 1, by Leith 4. Wild pitch—Morrissey. Time—1.37. Umpire—Jordan.

(Second Game).

Fall River .....0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 x—4

Earned run—Fall River. Two base hits—Bowden, Moorehead, Ball, Clark. Three base hit—Jott. Stolen bases—Bowcock, Lawrence. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Whiting 1, off Courneen 3. Hit by pitched balls—Warren, Courneen. Struck out—By Whiting 4. Time—1.41. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—2100.

CONCORD 6, NEW BEDFORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 14.—The home team could not hit McCarthy yesterday, and not a run was scored by Doe's players. Foxen was not pitching his best and hits, bases on balls and errors all contributed to an easy victory for the visitors. Four hits, each in a different inning, were all that the local players made, for McCarthy pitched effectively and he had good support. The home team had two men on bases in the last inning with none out but it was impossible to make a single run.

Score by innings:

Concord ..... 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 2 x—6

Earned runs—Concord 1. Two base hits—Noblitt, Eustace, Eaton. Stolen bases Kane, Eustace, Mullaney. First base on balls—By Foxen 3, by McCarthy 1. First base on errors—Concord 2, New Bedford 3. Hit by pitched ball—Kane, Noblitt. Passed balls—Burrill, Eaton. Wild pitch—McCarthy. Struck out—By McCarthy 5, by Foxen 5. Time—1.20. Umpire—Webster. Attendance—650.

NASHUA 6, HAVERHILL 5.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 14.—Nashua and Haverhill were to have played a double header yesterday afternoon, but as the first game lasted 15 innings the second was postponed until today. It was Haverhill's game up to the ninth, when through a two base hit by McLean and a single by Daum the score was tied.

Both teams scored in the 11th and in the last five innings it was much of a question of endurance on the part of the pitchers. Daum scored the winning run through an error by Richardson. Sheets made a pretty running catch in the 15th inning.

Score by innings:

Nashua
0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1—6

Haverhill
0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—5

Earned runs—Nashua 3, Haverhill 1. Two base hits—McLean, Daum, Richardson. Three base hit—McLean. Stolen bases—Jordan, Ashenbach 2, Calhoun. First base on balls—Off Gokey 2. Hit by pitched balls—Wilson, Gokey. Struck out—By Gokey 8, by Deininger 5. Time—2.55. Umpire—Kerins. Attendance—600.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:

At Detroit—(First game) Boston 3, Detroit 1. (Second game) Detroit 10, Boston 1.

At Cleveland—(First game) Cleveland 5, New York 2. (Second game) Cleveland 9, New York 2.

At Washington — Washington-St. Louis game postponed, rain.

At Chicago—Philadelphia 5, Chicago 1.

NATIONAL:

At Boston—Chicago 7, Boston 3.

At Brooklyn—Pittsburg 12, Brooklyn 6.

At New York—(First game) New York 6, St. Louis 2. (Second game) New York 9, St. Louis 7.

EASTERN:

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Providence 4.
At Toronto—Toronto 7, Montreal 1.
At Jersey City—Jersey City 13, Rochester 4.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	51	32	.614
Lowell	52	35	.598
Concord	46	36	.561
Nashua	47	37	.560
Fall River	42	32	.546
New Bedford	40	42	.488
Lawrence	35	42	.456
Haverhill	22	60	.268

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	61	32	.667
New York	59	37	.615
Chicago	60	41	.594
Cincinnati	51	45	.532
Brooklyn	44	50	.468
Boston	39	52	.429
St. Louis	35	65	.377
Philadelphia	24	61	.336

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	61	35	.635
Philadelphia	55	41	.573
Cleveland	52	45	.536
New York	51	47	.522
Detroit	45	45	.500
St. Louis	42	50	.457
Chicago	42	53	.442
Washington	29	64	.312

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Lawrence.
Manchester at Fall River.
Concord at New Bedford.
Nashua at Haverhill.

Bushey and Long will be the pitchers at Glen Forest today. If Long isn't right Klobedanz will officiate.

We're right after Manchester and the champs have four more games to play than we have. We'll get that pennant yet.

The York Beach team defeated the Dover Reds by a score of 2 to 0 yesterday. On the York team were Herb. Jr., and O. Webster, Grover Fels, Walter Muzzey and Hutch Parker, all of Lowell, and Herb. Webster, Sr. umpired.

Manager Lake made a bid for Spalding park in the recent sale but when he saw that Mr. Cawley was going after it to get it he stopped at $2200.

Manager Lake is trying to get the Chicago Nationals and the Boston Americans here before the season closes.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK
LEAGUE GAME.
SATURDAY—NASHUA vs. LOWELL.
Game Called at 3:15 o'clock.
Admission 25c.

BRIDGE STREETERS WON

DEFEATED LAKEVIEW AVENUES AT LAWN PARTY.

At St. Mary's lawn party, Collinsville, yesterday, the Bridge Street merchants defeated the Lakeview avenue business men by a score of 6 to 2 in a six-inning game. The score was as follows:

BRIDGE STREET.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
J. Foye c	4	0	2	13	2	0
McCarthy p	2	1	0	0	14	0
Kelly 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
O'Brien 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Keith ss	3	2	3	2	1	0
Hubin 3b	3	1	2	0	0	1
R. McKenzie rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hurd m	3	0	0	0	6	0
Landry lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	27	6	8	18	18	2

LAKEVIEW AVENUE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
McGuane c	4	1	0	9	0	0
McKenzie p	3	0	1	0	8	0
Noonan 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
McNeil lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Burns 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
McGrath ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
McKenna m	2	0	0	0	1	0
W. Foye 3b	2	1	2	1	0	1
Hibbleburn rf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	21	2	23	18	10	2

Two base hits, Kelly, Foye, Keith. Home runs, Keith. R. McKenzie. Base on balls, McCarthy, McGrath. Struck out, McKenzie 8, McCarthy 13. Umpire, Lyons.

The Independents defeated the Atlantics by the score of 8 to 7 last week and the latter team was not satisfied that we, the Independents, were their superiors, so another game was agreed to be played, with the understanding that each team would patch in for a quarter half and the winner to take ball. The game had not progressed very far when Charley Curran, manager of the Atlantics saw that his hot air team was in for a good drubbing and he at once stole the ball and ran home with it. He is a tin can sport and he can keep the ball if he wants to, for we have won more base balls than we will be able to use this season. We would like to arrange games with teams under 12 years of age. Send challenges to Fred Callahan, 85 Agawam street.

The Sunnysides and Groves will meet tomorrow and a hot game may be looked for. Nelson will do the twirling for the Groves and Donohoe for the Sunnysides.

WON CANADA CUP

AMERICAN BOAT TOOK THE DECIDING RACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 14—The Irondequoit, the American challenger for the Canada's cup yesterday won the deciding race of the series, thus wresting the trophy from across the water. It will now rest in the Rochester Yacht club until some Canadian boat shall bring it back.

Yesterday's race was a triangular one, seven miles to a leg.

Hanlan on the Irondequoit had the better of Jarvis on the Strathcona in jockeying for the start and the American yacht went flying across the line with a small lead, which she increased steadily to the first mark.

The Strathcona gained 30 seconds on her rival on the second leg.

The credit for the victory is accorded by all to Arthur Hanlan of New York, the Corinthian sailor who was called here to take charge after the professional skipper, Captain Barr, had lost the first two races.

Mr. Hanlan won three races, wresting the cup from Canada.

The summaries:

	Start	First Buoy	Second Buoy	Finish
Irondequoit	11:15:00	12:47:50	1:42:27	2:40:55
Strathcona	11:15:35	12.49:23	1:43:23	2:42:16

Starting gun 11:15.

IN TWO EVENTS

THE FAVORITES WON AT ROCHESTER RACES

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 14—The races at the closing day of the Rochester fair meeting at Cold Springs park yesterday were well contested. Favorites won in two of the events. In the 2.35 class, pacing, Deerfoot, owned by E. P. Fox of Franklin, N. H., dropped dead after finishing fourth in the last heat. The horse fell against the fence about 100 feet on the finishing side of the wire.

Summaries:

Free for all; purse $300

Princess Mosquito, bm (Page)	4	1	1	1
Louise G., bm (Merrill)	1	2	4	2
Dumont W., bg (Earnest)	3	4	2	3
John T., ch g (Bowser)	2	3	3	4

Time, 2.12½, 2.12½, 2.12¾, 2.11.

2.13 class, trotting; purse $500.

Ralph Wilkes, bg (Olley)	1	1	1
Gene H., bm (Johnson)	2	2	2
Alkalone, bg (Davis)	3	3	3

Time, 2.15¾, 2.16¼, 2.20½.

2.35 pacing; purse $500.

Wilkes Rino, rg (Palmer)	1	1	1
Deerfoot, bg (Fox)	2	2	4
Eldrain, br (Merrill)	3	4	2
Lady Dufferain, gm (George)	4	3	3
Alphonso, bg (Ranzeur)	5	5	5

Time, 2.20, 2.22, 2.22¼.

COUNCILMAN KEARNS

HAS NOT BEEN UNSEATED AS YET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROCKTON, Aug. 14.—The proposed movement to unseat Councilman Andrew J. Kearns, socialist, of ward 5, failed at the meeting of the common council last evening. President George A. Monk refused to allow an order declaring the seat of Mr. Kearns vacant to come before the body. He read it and declared it not eligible for consideration by the body.

Councilman A. B. Burnan, who presented the order, appealed from the decision, but the ruling of the chair was sustained. In speaking to the question Councilman Bulman said it was his purpose to have the order referred to the committee of elections and returns, if to investigate and report.

The assessors have refused to assess Mr. Kearns this year, declaring his legal residence to be in Natick, and his legal standing in the council is thereby in question.

ETHEL KIMBALL

Is Now Located in Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 14.—Mrs. John P. H. Kimball, mother of Miss Ethel Kimball, the stenographer, whose disappearance simultaneously with that of her employer, Edwin F. Lang, caused a sensation a month ago, said yesterday that she had received a letter from her missing daughter.

According to her statement the letter was dated in a Mexican city and says that the writer sailed from New York to Havana and had visited other southern ports before reaching Mexico, and that the trip would consume about three months, ending at Cincinnati, where she would make her home.

She signed herself Mrs. E. F. Lalley, and said she had not heard from Haverhill since she left.

Mrs. Kimball says she does not know who E. F. Lalley is.

She has said her daughter was engaged to a New York man, and at first suggested that the disappearance might be for the purpose of meeting this man, but she is convinced that he and Lalley are not identical.

Another mystery in the case has been the presence of a New York private detective in Haverhill for the past few days making inquiries about the case, but declining to reveal the name of his employer or the motive of his investigation.

Mrs. Lang, the deserted wife of the manufacturer, has heard nothing from her husband since his departure and has taken no steps to have him followed.

BRIDGE UNSAFE

OLD CHAIN STRUCTURE AT AMESBURY WEAKENING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWBURYPORT, Aug. 14.—E. P. Shaw, jr., superintendent of the Citizens' electric railway company, yesterday had his attention called to the weakness of the approach and roadway of the chain bridge, which crosses the Merrimac river, between Newburyport and Deer island on the main line to Amesbury. A report of the state engineer was also enclosed.

Wednesday afternoon Mr. Shaw with Mayor Cutens visited the bridge and although it appeared perfectly safe, it was decided to have an examination by an engineer. Today Engineer Rogers of the Citizens' line came here and after an examination advised the company to stop running cars over the bridge.

He said that the approach must be entirely rebuilt and that when a car runs over the bridge there is nothing between the stringers to support the car except the rails and that the stringers are not near enough for safety. One cross-piece is badly split and a car was likely to go into the river.

An effort was made to reach the county commissioners and consult with them, but without avail.

Yesterday noon cars were stopped from crossing. This side of the chain bridge was rebuilt three years ago and has been regarded as perfectly safe.

HIS WIFE GONE

HIS MONEY ALSO IS MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Aug. 14.—Mrs. Antonetta Cappola, aged 35 years, wife of Saverio Cappola of this city, has eloped, it is believed, with her star boarder, Angelo Giaquinto, aged 20 years, taking with her about $1000 in money and valuables belonging to her husband and friends.

Giaquinto has been in the country a short time, and was given a home and job by Cappola. Yesterday Cappola returned home to find his $300 and watch and other valuables gone, as well as his wife and the newly arrived Italian.

Louis Torelta formerly boarded with the Cappolas, and he gave into Mrs. Cappola's keeping all his money, $450. This also has disappeared. It is thought the couple have gone to St. Louis.

FAMILY FEUD

LED UP TO KILLING OF JOHN HANCOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 14—Jim McCoy yesterday shot and killed John Hancock, five miles south of Ozark, the result of a family feud of years' standing. McCoy, who is a son of the late Capt. John McCoy, a noted antebellum politician of Missouri, was arrested.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14. A libel for a divorce has been filed by Ellen Walsh against John W. Walsh in the Suffolk county superior court, and the court has ordered an attachment of the property of the libellee in the sum of $20,000.0

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Good, serviceable Shoes, in box calf, vici kid and patent leather, congress or oxfords. Were $2.00 and $2.50 a pair.

Men's Shoes Only 98c
Made from satin calf and kid skin, also some patent leathers well made, congress or oxfords. Were $1.25 and $1.50 a pair.

Men's Canvas Shoes 83c
Brown Canvas Lace Shoes, welted sole, cool and durable. Were $1.50 a pair.

Boys' Canvas Oxfords 17c
Black Canvas Oxfords, with pressed leather soles, sizes 2 to 5 1-2. Were 39c a pair.

Boys' Bicycle Shoes 69c
Tan, Russia grain and tan goat skins, sizes 2 to 5 1-2. Were $1.25 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 98c
Made from patent leather, kid skin and Russia calf, light or heavy sole, several styles. Were $1.25 to $2.00 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 75c
Red Canvas, with rubber soles and heels. Were $1.50 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 59c
Patent leather and colt skin, with welt sole, sizes 1 to 3, A and B widths. Regular price $2.50 a pair.

Children's Oxfords Only 49c
Some misses, also in dongola, with patent tips or plain. Were 75c a pair.

Misses' Oxfords Only 17c
Kid skin, with patent leather tips, sizes 12 to 2. Were 49c a pair.

Infants' Shoes Only 12½c
Black, tan, red and chocolate, soft soles, kid shoes, neatly made and finished. Were 25c a pair.

UNDER-PRICE SHOE STORE, PALMER ST. BASEMENT

Here Are Splendid Special Prices for Men's Wearables

About 15 dozen Negligee Shirts, made from madras, in neat figures and stripes, full size with separate cuffs. These are our regular 50c shirts, which we have reduced to ..... 35c each, or 3 shirts for $1.00

Our dollar shirts are all reduced to only 69c each. They are made from fine percale, madras, mateapolan have double felled seams, pocket neck band, etc., with detachable cuffs. All dollar grade, ...ONLY 69c EACH

Our Jersey ribbed and fancy Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, always before 25c, have been reduced to.....ONLY 17c EACH

Our odd sizes and small lots of high grade Underwear, including Fine French Balbriggan and Mercerized Shirts and Drawers, in blue, flesh, pink, white and ecru. Former prices $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 each, reduced in price to ..... ONLY 79c EACH

10 dozen plain and fancy half Hose, broken sizes taken from our 50c grade, reduced in price one-half..... ONLY 25c A PAIR

A case full of fine Cotton Hose, lisle finish, fast black, double heel and toe ..... 10c a pair, 3 pair for 25c

EAST SECTION. LEFT AISLE.

Here Are Splendid Special Prices for Ladies' Undermuslins

White skirts made from fine lawn, umbrella ruffle with cluster of tucks; five yards full. Especially adapted for walking skirts.... ONLY 98c EACH

Umbrella skirts made from fine cambric, with five rows of insertion and lace edge..... ONLY 98c EACH

Dressing Sacques, made from fine lawn, trimmed with lace and embroideries. Regular $1.00, $1.50 and $1.75 qualities .....ONLY 49c EACH

Underskirts with hemstitched ruffle, made from good muslin ONLY 25c EACH

WEST SECTION. GALLERY.

Here Are Splendid Special Prices for Belt and Belt Accessories

All our Silk Belts, including peau de soie, taffeta and black satin, with buckles in back; also some perfectly plain. Have been reduced in price from 50c to ..... ONLY 25c EACH

Our Leather Belts, patent, calf, morocco, seal ooze, in black, brown and gray, have been reduced in price now from 50c to .....ONLY 25c EACH

Back and front Buckle Sets, 50c qualities have been reduced to 25c; also our Pearl Belt Pins, regular price 50c .....ONLY 25c EACH

WEST SECTION. RIGHT AISLE.

Here Are Splendid Special Prices for Towels, Tablecloths and Damasks

600 dozen Huckaback Towels, large size, with red, blue and plain borders usually 12½c and 15c each..... 3 FOR 25c

A big lot of fifteen-cent bleached Turkish Towels, either fringed or hemmed ..... 2 FOR 25c

10 dozen Table Covers, 10-4 size or Turkey Red Cloth; some red and white, others red and green. Regular price $1.00 .....ONLY 69c

We have some short lengths of Plain Satin Damask, 2 to 3½ yards, which is worth $1.00 a yard ..... ONLY 49c A YARD

PALMER STREET LEFT AISLE.

We have reduced the sale price of our Remnants, Fine Dimities and Muslins—worth 17c a yard, from 9c to ..... ONLY 5c A YARD

TEA AND COFFEE

For 65c

1 pound A. G. P. Coffee,
½ pound Formosa Tea,
1 can Pet Cream,
1 can Ralston Cocoa,

For 65c

MERRIMACK STREET. BASEMENT.

BAY STATE MILLS

Closed Because Finishing Dept. Got Behind

Because one department got ahead of another in the Bay State mills about 500 operatives in idleness. The shut down will continue for two weeks. It was the finishing department that got behind and that department is the only one busy at the present time.

REVERE BEACH

BOARD OF TRADE DEFENDS ITS GOOD NAME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—The tradespeople and amusement managers along Revere beach feel that the reputation of their resort has been somewhat damaged lately by the wide publicity which has been given to recent gaming and liquor raids by the state police in the town of Revere itself. They also feel that a wrong impression has gone forth regarding their attitude toward the Sunday amusement question and Thursday evening a meeting of the board was held for the purpose of correcting what they believe to be an injustice to them.

The meeting was well attended and the subject of the injury done the reputation of the state reservation because of its proximity to the town which has lately occupied such an unenviable place in the public mind was discussed at length. Finally the position of the beach people themselves was set forth by the adoption of the resolutions setting forth:

That, recent events in the town of Revere have given notoriety to the town and

That, by a natural confounding of the town of Revere with the Revere Beach park reservation, some of these happenings have been announced as having occurred at Revere Beach. Further:

That, such misinformation has doubtless injured the reputation of Revere Beach among those unacquainted with the geographical and other differences between the town and the reservation.

In view of these facts the Revere Beach board of trade, an association organized to protect and develop the interests of the Revere Beach reservation, calls public attention to the fact that Revere beach is remarkable for the good order and excellent character of the immense throngs that visit it during the summer season, as indicated by the infrequency of arrests made there by the ever vigilant reservation police force, for even minor misdemeanors and that Chief Wade of the state police force, recently stated that there is probably no other place in this country where so few arrests are made, in proportion to the numbers of people who go to the resort. The board furthermore asserts that in fairness to the beach amusement managers who have been conducting their business Sundays, it should be stated that they have been acting under what they have been advised is the correct interpretation of the law and have at no time assumed the attitude of wilful law breakers.

EIGHT YEARS OLD

Hugh L. Garrity Entertained Young Friends

Hugh Lester Garrity was eight years old yesterday and he observed the event in a thoroughly up-to-date manner. Hughy is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garrity and the birthday reception was held in the upper parlors of the Old Washington Tavern. Hughy proved himself a very genial host and was assisted in receiving by his mother and younger brothers. He entertained 50 of his young friends and as a token of the event all were presented with boxes of candy designed for the occasion. Hughy was the recipient of many pretty and practical presents, including a croquet set and a silk umbrella.

All up for the Tall Hat Game, Bunting Grounds, Saturday.

RUNAWAY HORSE

MANAGED TO BEAT OUT AN EXPRESS TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 14.—In a three-mile race between a runaway horse and an express train from Medford Hillside to Winchester, yesterday, the horse beat the train, but the driver, a lad named Moore, had been thrown from the wagon and badly injured, and the wagon demolished. Several persons had a narrow escape from being knocked down by the horse in its flight.

The animal, attached to a light wagon, was left in charge of Moore and bolted. When opposite the Brooks school the outfit struck a tree and Moore was thrown from the wagon. The horse continued his run and was soon clear of the wreck. He passed the West Medford railroad crossing just ahead of an express train from Boston, and from West Medford the horse took Grove street, which is parallel with the tracks. He was beating the train and the race continued to Winchester, which the horse reached ahead of the express. At Winchester the animal was captured unhurt and returned to his owner.

FELL FROM ROOF

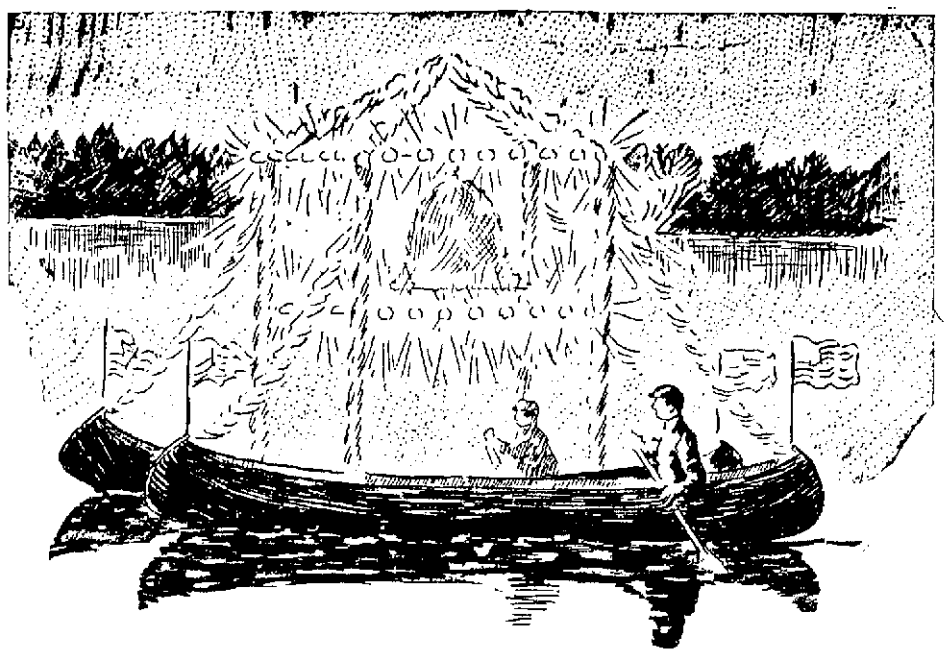
LITTLE GIRL KILLED WHILE VISITING HER AUNT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Evelyn Hayes, a pretty girl of 13 years, while on a visit to her aunt at 34 Ferrin street, Charlestown, was killed yesterday afternoon about 1.45 by falling from the roof of the house in which her aunt lives, a distance of 35 feet.

In company with her aunt, Miss Kate Broderick of 210 Heath street, Roxbury, Evelyn started for the home of Mrs. Lena Sullivan, 34 Ferrin street, another aunt. She played about the house and later went up to the roof with a glass of water. This, it is said, she started to pour into the yard, and in doing so lost her balance and fell.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.



SKETCH OF THE WINNING FLOAT.

WATER CARNIVAL

By the Residents at Willow Dale

AND THEIR FRIENDS FROM THIS CITY

Grand Display on the Shore and Lake

The second annual carnival and illuminated parade under the auspices of the proprietors of Willow Dale and the cottagers around Lake Mascupic was held last night and proved to be a grand success, like its predecessor. It was a fine moonlight, but the brilliancy of the moon was lost in the magnificent illuminations along the water front and the highly illuminated boats.

Over two thousand people were present to witness the grand illuminated parade, the cottagers having sent out numerous invitations to their many friends, and judging from the attendance at the different houses the majority of the invitations were accepted.

The decorations and illuminations on the cottages along the water front were the most elaborate ever attempted, and the effect as seen from the pavilion at Lakeview was grand. Japanese lanterns were distributed around in an artistic manner and it was one steady stream of light from the Iroquois club around the Willow Dale end of the lake to the last cottage near Bull Run.

Among the places decorated were the following: Iroquois club, Jewett cottage, the "Bower," owned by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hovey; "Stone Tower," the property of Mr. Bradley of Boston; "Camp Princess," Mr. Tibbets; "Piney Ridge," Mr. Judson Phillips; Empire club, "The Forty Thieves," Walcott cottage, Claw cottage, Mason cottage, Vevas cottage, Packer cottage, Young cottage, Bailey cottage, Coburn cottage, Chase cottage, Keyes cottage, Lasier cottage, Learcy cottage, Saunders cottage, Kershaw cottage, Donavan cottage, Eagle club, Thompson cottage.

The first prize for the most beautifully decorated and illuminated cottage went to the Jewett cottage. It was surrounded on all sides with hundreds of Japanese lanterns, and red fire was burned during the greater part of the night. "Grand View" cottage, owned and occupied by Henry J. Keyes and family is worthy of special mention.

Numerous Chinese lanterns were arranged in an artistic manner and outlining the front of the cottage made a fine effect. Worked out in small lights and suspended from above was a design with the words "Grand View" in the centre, while about in the surrounding trees were suspended varied colored lanterns, while just below was a large transparency showing two large keys.

The "Idle Hour" cottage, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lussier, was also very prettily decorated as also was the Coburn cottage.

Of course the main attraction was the illuminated parade; for the past week the majority of the canoe boys have been making elaborate preparations for this event. While the parade was in progress the bright lights from the shore cast their rays on the water and showed hundreds of canoes which had not been decorated, but which were moving here and there in order to view the parade from an advantageous place.

As the illuminated canoes passed the different cottages and the pavilion at Willow Dale loud cheers and hearty applause were given.

At the close of the parade the judges, James McKinley, William Marin and Mr. Sherburn of Tyngsboro, awarded the first prize to Herbert L. Royer and Joseph Kittredge, who had their boats together. Their boats were decorated to represent the "Liberty Bell," and was one of the finest decorated crafts that has ever ridden the waters of the lake. The two canoes were placed side by side, being connected with light strips of wood, while in the centre was a belfrey and a canopy on top. Suspended from the belfry was a bell, and around the belfry were 75 incandescent lights. While the illuminations on the other boats were of Chinese and Japanese lanterns, Mr. Royer had placed three storage batteries in his boat which furnished plenty of power to run the incandescent lights. The lights were far more brilliant than that thrown by the lanterns, and as the boats, belfry and canopy were bedecked with streamers of crepe paper the effect was striking.

The second prize went to Mr. Upton who had a gasolene launch which was decorated so as to represent a whale.

The "Crescent and Star" run by Mr. Lussier won third prize.

The parade was in charge of Carl Mason, who won first prize last year, but who was unfortunate this year in having his canoe burned during the early part of the evening, after the decorations had caught fire.

MEADE RETIRED

Because He Sent a Disrespectful Letter

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—By order of the president, Col. Robert L. Meade of the U. S. marine corps will be retired Oct. 3 next in his present grade.

Because of a disrespectful letter which Col. Meade recently addressed to the navy department, the president took advantage of the law which provides that when an officer in the army or marine corps shall have reached the age of 62 years he may be retired on his own request or by order of the president.

Col. Meade recently requested that he be retired at an advanced grade. The law does not permit officers in the marine corps to be retired with advanced rank, but the president approved Meade's application for retirement.

Displeased that both his requests had not been granted, it is understood that Col. Meade addressed another letter to the department, requesting that his application be withdrawn, and charging among other things that the conditions for his retirement had been ignored.

The acting secretary recommended to the president that Col. Meade be allowed to withdraw his application for retirement, and that he be retired in accordance with the law on his 62d birthday.

President Roosevelt has promptly approved the recommendation of Acting Sec. Darling, and the necessary order has been issued.

FEAR OF "THE COP"

HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR APOPLEXY THAT CAUSED BOY'S DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14—Fear of the small boys' bugaboo, 'the cop," caused the death yesterday of Wenzel Botha, Jr., 11 years old, son of Wenzel and Zelma Botha of 532 East 81st street.

Near the home of the Bothas, at 81st street and East End avenue, is a big vacant lot, surrounded by a fence, which is used as a storage place for wagons. This lot is a favorite playground for the boys of the neighborhood.

About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Policeman Schielder was sauntering down East End avenue, between 82d and 81st streets. He did not see the boys playing in the lot, but a sharp-eyed youngster on the avenue saw the policeman, and putting his head over the fence, yelled: "Cheese it, the cop."

Instantly the boys within the lot scampered off, making for the 81st street side. Young Botha was among the foremost. He jumped over the fence, landing on his feet on the street. Then he staggered to the door of his home, a short distance away, and fell gasping into the arms of Ethel Mahte and Edith Brown, two little girls who live in the house.

Dr. Jones of the Presbyterian hospital, who responded to an ambulance call, could find no marks of an injury. He determined that death must have been caused by apoplexy.

SOCIALIST TALK

In Open Air Meeting in Kirk Street

There was a large gathering at the Kirk street church last night to listen to the address of Mr. Powers of Providence, R. I., who spoke on the rights of workingmen. Soon after Mr. Powers opened his address it could be seen that he was in favor of socialism as he condemned both the democratic and republican parties and told the people to support none but the workingmen for public offices.

He paid some attention to the recent strike and declared that the business men were favorable to the corporations.

Mr. Powers spoke of the laboring people being crushed by capitalists and declared that the cry of the mill owners of New England was: "Suffer little children to come unto me and I will skin them, stunt them and starve them."

The speaker spoke for over an hour and one of the prominent features of his remarks was an eulogy of Washington as a workingman and the statement that if Washington could come to Lowell today he could not even be elected to the school board.

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MEN'S SUITS at $12.75 . . . worth $20.00
MEN'S SUITS at $16.95 . . . worth $28.00
MEN'S TOP COATS $4.95 . . . worth $10.00

MEN'S TROUSERS $1.95 . . . . worth $4.00
MEN'S TROUSERS $2.95 . worth up to $6.00
BOYS' SHOES 68c . . . . . worth $1.00
MEN'S SHOES $1.37 . . worth up to $2.50
MEN'S SHOES $1.67 . . worth up to $4.00
50c and 75c STRAW HATS down to . . 19c

Men's $1.00 and $1.25 "Stag Brand" Negligee Shirts 69c
Men's Fine Madras 50c and 75c Shirts 35c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 10c. 2 for 5c . 3c
Men's Latest Block Fine Fur Stiff Hats, regular price $1.50. Sale price 89c

Boys' Vestee Suits worth $3.00 and up to $6.00, $1.00
Youths' Suits up to 36 size, worth $6.00 . . . $3.95
Boys' Double Breasted Two Piece Suits, worth up to $4, $1.95
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THE STORY OF THE GREAT FRESH AIR MOVEMENT

OF the many charities which have earned for this country the reputation of being the most philanthropical in the world there is none that has attained a more deserving eminence than the fresh air movement, which, as charities go, is of comparatively recent origin. Today there is scarcely a city or town of any size in the United States that does not boast its fresh air fund, devoted to sending the children of its poor out to pleasant homes in the country or healthful resorts by lakeside and seashore. It is impossible to say just how many young lives have been saved by this notable charity, but the number certainly runs into the hundreds of thousands, for the children, weak and emaciated by the rigors of a long winter and a listless spring spent amid insanitary conditions, return from their visit to the mountains or the ocean with renewed vitality and sufficient energy to withstand the baneful influences of their city environment.

The good work is not confined to any particular religious sect or charitable organization. It is essentially national, being made possible by the generosity of people in all walks of life. In many places newspapers have established "fresh air funds" and take full charge of the task of seeing that the little ones are pleasantly located and have the best of attention. The first fresh air fund in the history of the country was started in 1877 by the Rev. William Parsons of New York, under the auspices of a newspaper, and the fund has been continued ever since with increasing benefit to the children of the east side. In the first year of its existence but sixty children were sent to the country; now its beneficiaries annually number many thousands, and the outlook for the present season is the brightest in its history.

A most important phase of the work has been the establishmnt of sanitariums and hospitals for sick babies, and in this newspapers have also played a prominent part. In Lincoln park, Chicago, stands a newspaper sanitarium, whither for over fifteen years babies have been conveyed by the wagon load and given a chance to breathe the pure air denied them in their tenement homes. This sanitarium is but one of many to be found the length and breadth of the land, for the benefits of such an institution are so widely recognized that many city hospitals for sick children have established summer homes in health giving localities.

In some cases, moreover, provision is made for the mothers of the children, and this extension of the charity is invariably followed by far reaching results. The mothers are taught how best to care for their babies and how to prevent simple ills from developing into serious diseases. The proud mothers when they return to the city hasten to impart their knowledge to the mothers of other children, and in this way the work of ameliorating the handicaps under which the poor must always struggle is continued by a sort of endless chain.

As a rule, the children of an older growth are sent in batches to the country or seashore, where they spend a two weeks' vacation with absolutely nothing to do but eat and enjoy themselves. In the country the days pass in rambles through woods and fields, in hay rides, in picnics, in baseball games with the country lads. At the seashore there are always bathing, playing in the sand, surf fishing, clambakes and the like.

It goes without saying that most of the work falls on the shoulders of individuals, and it is to the credit of the American people that so many of them are willing to further the charity by far more than mere financial aid. Men and women, merely from love of the cause, annually devote part of their summer to entertaining in their country homes the little ones of the underworld, and some of the most prominent in this feature of the work are among the leaders of social life. Then, too, there are the farmers throughout the country who undertake to care for a stated number of children every year. True, they are in most instances paid fairly well for boarding the youngsters, but even then they are deserving of the highest praise, for it is to be taken for granted that the fresh air fund beneficiaries run wild over the farms, chase the chickens, sheep and pigs and do all manner of things that must sorely try their hosts' temper.

TYPICAL OPEN AIR HOSPITAL WARD.

SANITARIUM FOR SICK BABIES, CHICAGO

ENJOYING COUNTRY LIFE

So far as New York is concerned the movement will ere long receive a noteworthy extension through the generosity of the head of the United States Steel corporation, Charles M. Schwab, who, together with his wife, is displaying a great deal of interest in this form of philanthropy. Little more than a year ago Mr. Schwab purchased Richmond Beach, on the south shore of Staten Island, and he will build there a splendid resort for the benefit of the poor and sick children of the city. The property includes about a quarter of a mile of fine beach, a fresh water lake and a grove. It is a veritable paradise for children, and when Mr. Schwab's plans are fully developed about 2,000 youngsters will be provided for daily, being given a good time in the usual way. The several charitable organizations in the city will see to it that all the children possible make the trip to "Schwab park."

Another famous outdoor charity for New York's little ones is that conducted by St. John's guild, antedating by several years the organized fresh air movement. For over thirty-five years the guild has been operating floating hospitals and seaside homes for sick children and their mothers, the benefits being open to all without creed, class or sectarian distinction. The floating hospital is a large barge equipped with cots, hammocks and all needful appliances, and having on board a corps of doctors and nurses. The children are taken aboard early in the morning and the barge is then towed down the river and into the bay, returning to the city late in the afternoon with its little charges. Needless to say it is given the right of way over all the craft in the river and bay.

Apart from the direct good it accomplishes the fresh air movement is of incalculable value to the nation at large. It is a perennial appeal to the better instincts of humanity, and it is at the same time an important factor in the development of those more fortunate children who have no need of its assistance. It enlists their sympathy and aid, and moves thousands of them to active works of charity, with the consequent result of their growing up better and purer types of American manhood and womanhood. In many places the fresh air fund would not exist were it not for the children who contrive, as children will, to devise schemes which will not only be financially profitable to the cause of charity, but will also be vastly entertaining to the little philanthropists. They hold fancy goods bazaars, give concerts, circuses, minstrel shows, amateur theatricals and literary entertainments, erect toy stores wherein are dispensed lemonade and popcorn, and conduct flower shows and ice cream sociables. Girls of course predominate in this work, but the boys gladly lend a helping hand. These entertainments continue winter and summer, sowing in many youthful hearts seeds of brotherly love and kindness which the after years with their stern realities can never eradicate.

H. ADDINGTON BRUCE.

WAR AGAINST BOOKS.

The last authorized book burning in Great Britain was in 1778, when "The Commercial Restraint of Ireland Considered," by the Hon. Hely Hutchinson, was given to the flames. The war against books began under Henry VIII., when books were burned by both religious parties. All copies of Tyndale's Bible that could be bought up were publicly burned at St. Paul's on Shrove Tuesday, 1527, and a general destruction by fire of unlicensed books was ordered three years later by the king. In 1585 the star chamber claimed the power of licensing and seizing books, and its scrutiny was as rigorous as that of the inquisition.

A SPIRIT PICTURE OF CANON KNOX-LITTLE.

That the camera will play all sorts of uncommon and sometimes embarrassing tricks has long been known, but it is seldom that it unwittingly takes a "spirit picture" of a clergyman, or, for that matter, of anybody. The remarkable feature of the present camera escapade is that the subject of the picture, Canon Knox-Little, an English cleric, is a devout believer in ghosts. Photographers are still trying to account for the peculiar secondary photograph of the worthy clergyman. The picture was one of a set taken by a periodical for use in connection with an illustrated interview.

SOME FACTS ABOUT EYES.

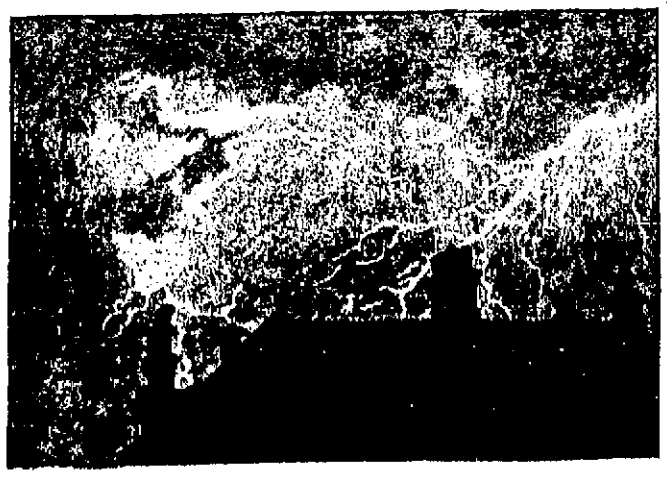
Men and monkeys alone, of all the animal world, possess parallel and convergent vision of the two eyes. The lower mammals possess divergent and consequently very widely extended vision. Squirrels are able to see an enemy directly from behind without turning the head.

INTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

SUMMER GIRL'S STRANGE PET.

Summer girls have all sorts of odd fancies, but the palm for whimsicality must be awarded this year to a pretty miss at Atlantic City who cherishes a pet lion cub, with which she appears on the beach. To all seeming the animal is gentle and harmless, but the average visitor to the sands gives the girl and the cub a wide berth.

REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF LIGHTNING.



The accompanying illustration was made from a photograph taken from the deck of a vessel lying off the shore of a Lake Ontario village. It is undoubtedly one of the most realistic lightning photographs ever made, showing as it does an ugly simultaneous display of flashes.

QUAINT NATURAL MONUMENT.

The curious pile of rocks shown in the illustration is known as the "Cheesewring" and stands a short distance from Liskeard, in Cornwall, England. Thirty-two feet high, many of the upper stones overhang the base to such an extent that one would swear they were just about to topple to the ground. But they have been standing in this fashion for many centuries. Some persons assert that they were put together by the Druids, but the theory that is probably correct is that they are the result of denudation.

TATTOOED RACE VANISHING.

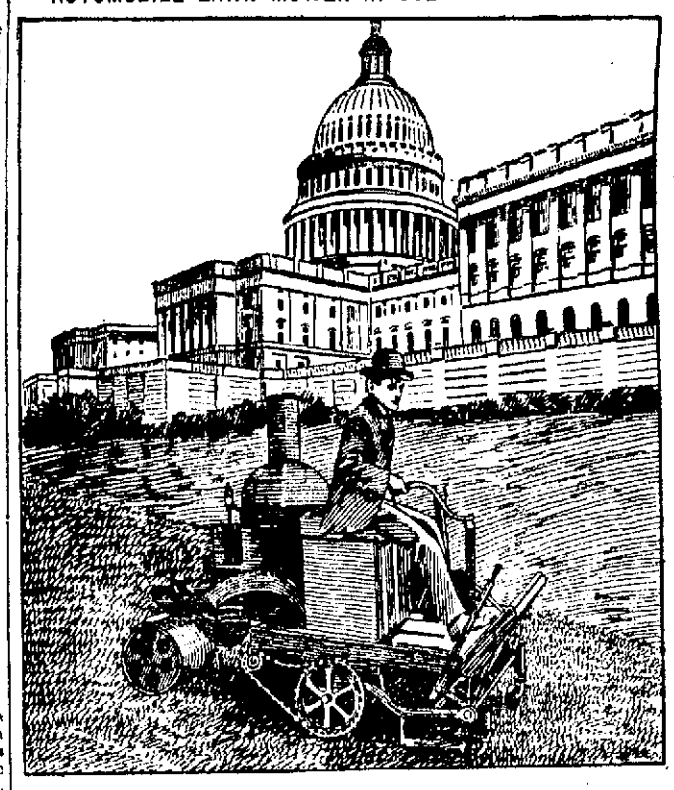
The report from New Zealand to the effect that the Maoris, the celebrated tattooed aborigines of that country, are slowly but surely disappearing and that in a comparatively short time the race will be extinct, has revived interest in this curious people, who at one time ranked as the most bloodthirsty cannibals ever encountered by explorers. When the whites first went to New Zealand the Maori population was about 100,000, while today it is less than 35,000. The illustration shows how the Maoris make their naturally hideous faces all the more repulsive by tattooing. They carry the grotesque designs to the grave.

HEAD OF A MAORI CHIEF.

THE LONG AND THE SHORT OF IT IN SKELETONS.

The illustration speaks for itself. The tallest skeleton is that of Giant O'Brien, who stood eight feet in his stockings, while the tiny skeleton in the glass case is all that remains of Caroline Cenchami, who in life was but eighteen inches high. The illustration was made from a photograph taken at the Royal College of Surgeons in England, where the skeletons are preserved.

AUTOMOBILE LAWN MOWER IN USE AT THE CAPITOL.

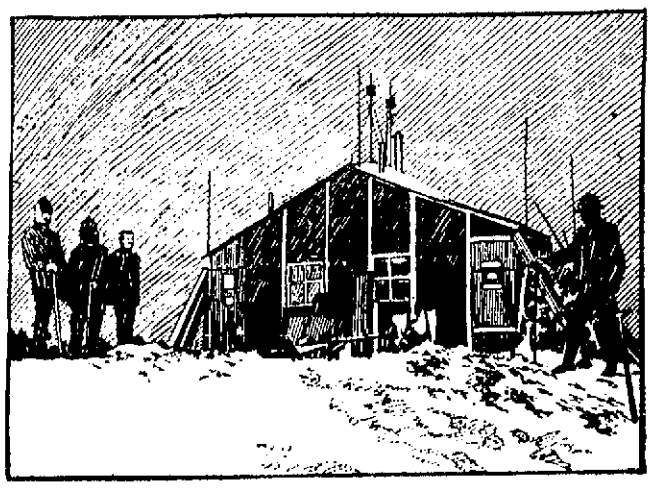


What is believed to be the first automobile lawn mower used in this country is employed on the grounds around the White House and the capitol in Washington, where it may be seen almost every day cutting grass. The statement is made that it does its work neatly and expeditiously and at the same time does no damage to the beautiful lawns.

NOVEL FEATURE OF A GYMKHANA CONTEST.

The gymkhana is a sort of amateur athletic meet in which the belles and beaux of society take part. All genuine gymkhanas boast unique and original features, such as driving pigs in harness, racing geese and so forth. At a recent gymkhana one of the popular contests scheduled was a race between rows of champagne bottles, as shown in the illustration, the fair competitors being blindfolded and driven in teams by young swells, upon whom devolved the task of steering their teams successfully between the rows of bottles. Prizes were awarded to those who knocked down the smallest number of bottles during their journey.

A COUNTRY HOME IN HIGH ALTITUDES.



Our illustration shows the country house and observatory of M. Joseph Vallot, who many years ago became fascinated with wonderful Mont Blanc in the Alps, and subsequently erected on its summit the odd looking dwelling herewith pictured. M. Vallot was inspired to build this house not alone in the interests of science, but as a place of refuge for those mountain climbers who might be exhausted by the perilous journey, and as a mountain hospital it holds a unique record. Owing to the great difficulty of transporting materials to the summit of the mountain, it was many weeks before the necessary lumber, etc., was on the site of the building, and then it took 110 men a week to put the house together.

REV. P. E. ASLEY, INSTALLED PASTOR OF SWEDISH CHURCH.

NEW MINISTER

Rev. P. E. Asley Installed

AS PASTOR OF SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Ceremony Was an Elaborate One

With all the formality and detail of the Lutheran church ritual, surrounded by visiting clergymen and in the presence of an assembly that crowded the church to its very doors, Rev. P. E. Asley was installed as pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church in Meadowcroft street, last night.

The installation ceremony was delivered by Rev. Dr. L. P. Ahlquist of Wilcox, Pa. All of the clergymen carried bibles and all read scriptural quotations bearing on the charge which was being delivered over to the new pastor and the latter read the creed of the church.

The very impressive ceremony closed with the laying on of hands by the clergymen, while they repeated the Lord's prayer in unison.

The ministers present were: Rev. Dr. L. P. Ahlquist, Wilcox, Pa.; Rev. E. J. Nystrom, Worcester; Rev. F. A. Engstrand, Worcester; Rev. C. F. Johannson, Boston; Rev. C. W. Andeer, Boston; Rev. J. A. Anderson, Brockton; Rev. J. A. Bernhard, Quincy; Rev. Mr. Lindevalle, Lynn; Rev. J. A. Peterson, Waltham; Rev. H. Jacobson, Cambridgeport; Rev. N. E. Kron, Manchester, N. H.; Rev. J. H. Holmgren, Concord, N. H.; Rev. C. J. Heckman, Gardner; Rev. Peter Froeberg, Orange; Rev. J. P. Lundahl, Proctor, Vt.; Rev. Elof Peterson, Woburn; Rev. Charles Holberg, Everett and Rev. John Gullans, Worcester; S. E. Froeberg, Portland, Me.; and A. Anderson, Woburn.

Rev. P. E. Asley was born in Northern Sweden. He came to this country when a young man and entered the Augustana Theological seminary, at Rock Island, Ill. He graduated from that institution and went to Salt Lake City, Utah, where he worked as missionary for over eight years, among the Mormons.

CANFIELD WINS

Cleared up $200,000 in Wall Street

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Richard Canfield has made $200,000 by successful speculation in the stock of the Reading railroad, which had a sensational advance yesterday.

Wall street has the story that he got the tip to buy the stock several weeks ago from a member of the Vanderbilt family, who has on several occasions been a patron of his establishment, now closed.

Mr. Canfield bought 20,000 shares of the stock in the week ending Saturday, July 2, at an average price of 47. He closed out yesterday at an average price of 57. His profit therefore, represents 10 points advance in the market.

Mr. Canfield's speculative operations were conducted through an Exchange place firm, the senior member of which has frequently been a patron of Mr. Canfield's both in New York and Saratoga, and who was one of the recalcitrant witnesses whom Dist. Atty. Jerome failed to compel to testify against the Canfield gambling establishment.

It is said that the entire Canfield group of gamblers have made handsome profits out of the tip from the Vanderbilt interests. Mr. Canfield is in Saratoga conducting a fashionable restaurant and when the news came out in Wall street yesterday, his former patrons sent him telegrams of congratulations, for Mr. Canfield is popular in the Waldorf-Astoria set despite the fact that Dist. Atty. Jerome has charged that he operated "brace" games which his patrons had never a chance to beat.

SHOT IN THIGH

G. W. JONES WOUNDED AT NANTASKET BEACH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NANTASKET, Aug. 14.—G. W. Jones, proprietor of the shooting gallery at Nantasket state reservation, was accidentally shot last evening by an employe named James Caldwell.

Caldwell was trying to put down the hammer of a 22-caliber Winchester rifle, used in the gallery, when it was discharged, sending a bullet through an inch board partition into the office where Mr. Jones was standing and into his thigh.

The injured man was taken to the Massachusetts general hospital in Boston, where efforts were to be made to extract the bullet by the employment of the X-ray.

In the early summer Caldwell gave exhibitions here as a snake enter under the professional name of Osae.

Mr. Jones is a blind man, belonging in Boston. He came to Nantasket this summer for the first time and opened a shooting gallery.

THIRTEEN YEARS

LETTER ON THE WAY FOR A LONG TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTH WEYMOUTH, Aug. 14.—A letter has just been received at the post office here that has been on the way 13 years.

It bears the date stamp of Feb. 10, 1890. On the upper corner are the words "Return in 10 days." Where it has been during this long period nobody knows.

BOY DROWNED

HAD JUST CELEBRATED HIS BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 14.—Walter Lutes, 10 years old, whose parents live at 26 Elvir street, was drowned in Floating bridge pond yesterday afternoon while fishing. Up to a late hour last night the body had not been recovered.

The boy celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday and his parents gave him a gold watch. In company with a smaller brother he went fishing and while Walter went upon the railroad bridge the brother remained on the foot bridge.

Soon the latter heard a splash and saw his brother struggling in the water. The boy sank twice and then came to the surface and started to swim to the shore, but suddenly sank out of sight.

VESUVIUS ACTIVE

PEOPLE IN THE VICINITY GREATLY ALARMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—Vesuvius is again causing intense alarm in the surrounding region, the eruptions of the volcano being very heavy yesterday. This alarming activity, which followed the shocks of earthquake, is augmenting. The detonations are very loud and almost continuous, while from a fresh opening at the base of the principal crater two streams of lava are issuing which within a few hours covered a wide tract of ground. One stream has covered ground already arid from previous eruptions, but the other is going swiftly towards the village of Ottajano, the direction taken by the famous eruptions of 1872. The whole district around the volcano is shaken by frequent earth shocks and a perfect panic prevails.

SECRETARY MOODY

STARTED FOR OYSTER BAY YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Secretary of the Navy William H. Moody, with several friends, among whom was ex-Secretary of the Navy W. E. Chandler, arrived at the navy yard yesterday to board the dispatch boat Dolphin for Oyster Bay, where the North Atlantic squadron is to be reviewed on Saturday. After Rear Admiral Johnson had paid his compliments to the visitors, the Dolphin sailed.

THOUSANDS DESTITUTE

APPALLING SUFFERING IN THE HURRICANE DISTRICT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, Ja., Aug. 14.—The destitution in the hurricane district is appalling. Thousands of persons, homeless, starving and ill-clad, are hurrying to the towns to obtain shelter and supplies but as all the churches and public buildings have been demolished the misery is intense. A meeting held at Port Anthonia yesterday appealed, with the governor's approval to the generosity of the American people. Foodstuffs and lumber are urgently needed and assistance was implored.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Edward L. Dwyer yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy with the clerk of the United States district court. The liabilities are fixed at $374,865, and assets $150. Most of these liabilities are secured.

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JUST OPENED—50 BARRELS OF

GLASSWARE

Consisting of crystal and colored effects, in punch bowls, fruit and berry dishes, water sets, water bottles, tankards, oils and vinegar, bon bons, etc. This lot was a bargain we picked up in a large manufacturer's store room, and was bought considerably under the prevailing prices. We shall sell as we bought, consequently the public will have a chance to secure some surprising values.

A PARTIAL LIST—LISTEN

TUMBLERS 10 FOR 10c—Pressed glass, imitation needle etched band, fluted bottoms. Regular price 36c doz.

CUSTARD OR LEMONADE GLASSES 5c each—With Handles. Regular Price 75c doz.

2 QT. WATER PITCHER 10c EACH—With foot, good clear glass, excellent designs. Regular price 19c.

WINE AND CORDIAL GLASSES 3 FOR 10c. Regular price 60c doz.

TUMBLERS 5c EACH—Best quality blown glass with fancy bands. Regular price 89c doz.

FRUIT, BERRY AND BON BON DISHES 10c EACH—Cut glass patterns, fancy shapes and designs. Regular price 15c and 19c.

PUNCH BOWLS $2.98—Large size, detached foot, rich cut glass patterns, very special.

WATER SET WITH TRAY 59c—Consists of 2 qt. pitcher, 6 tumblers to match and fancy metal tray (either gold or silver finish.) The design is new and very pretty. The glass is a pure crystal.

SURPRISING!!!

TAFFETA SILK

Good quality Taffeta Silk, all Silk not part something else, selling at 29c per yard. Isn't it surprising? Of course you can't tell what the quality is only by our say so. When you see it you can; that's just what we want you to do, see it, give it a thorough examination. After you are through, if you don't say it's the best value you ever saw for the money, well —— but we know you will say it's the best you ever saw. We have such implicit confidence in this Silk value nothing can shake it. Let us know if you DON'T agree with us.

We've sold no better silk at 49c yard.

Remember, 19 in. wide, and only **29c Yard**

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Give me 512-4, please.

HELLO; BON MARCHE?

Kindly send to 16 Moreofit St. 2 gallons

ICE CREAM

1 gal. vanilla and 1 gal. strawberry. Hella! Strawberry not chocolate. When? Oh, yes. Right away, please. Send it C. O. D. I'll pay the driver the $2.00 when he delivers it. Good bye.

Last Call

HAMMOCKS

ONE LOT 25c EACH—Full size, open weave, fancy colors, pillow spreader and valance, perfect in every way, but they must go, we need the room, only 50 in the lot. Don't come too late. Always sold for 98c each.

You'll Have to Ask for This

COMBINATION

If you want to see it and we give you our word, it's worth seeing.

1 Pair Ruffled Curtains.
1 Brass Rod.
1 Pair Loops.
All for **31c**

Figure out how much you would usually pay for them. Call at Drapery Dept. and we'll tell you.

Circulating Library

MRS. A. A. DUNN

Mrs. Dunn is not a guest, but a permanent member of our household. Some of her friends told her they were informed that she was only here temporarily. Such is NOT THE CASE. She is here for good, and would be pleased to see her old acquaintances in her pleasant quarters in the book section.

DEAR READER, have you looked into this circulating library scheme? If you haven't 'twil pay you to do so.

A Bargain in

BELTS

We haven't many, probably enough to last for several hours. Rapid selling, but don't wait too long. They may go faster than we expect. HERE IT IS: The material is a mercerized moire with fancy buckles, both front and back, good lining and stitching. While they last, **10c each.**

ALSO a lot of 50c Belts marked down to 25c.

NEW—An embroidered Canvas Belt with white ground and colored mercerized cotton embroidery. Price 25c.

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Scientific Palm Reading

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These clever students of the Great Cheiro, by years of hard study and deep research in the mystic art of reading the lines of the human hand have become generally known as the

QUEENS AT PALMISTRY.

In the two weeks they have been with us over one thousand people have visited their booth and had their hands read. The universal praise accorded them by our patrons has caused us to extend their engagement a few days longer.

10c Readings 10c

Booth located rear Millinery Dept., near Shoe Section.

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SHELL GOODS

A welcome trade wind blew us these good things. See what YOU think of them: Pompadour Combs, Side Combs, Empire Combs and Hair Barrettes; a clean up from a big maker. Made to sell for 50c and 75c. Our Price, 25c.

New Idea Patterns, None Better, ... 10c

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On fifth floor in causing much favorable comment. Business commenced from the very start and from present indications it will prove a sharp rival to our other departments.

CUSTOMERS WILL PLEASE BEAR IN MIND THE WORK WE PREVIOUSLY HAD DONE OUTSIDE WILL NOW BE DONE IN

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Cool, clean, comfortable, correct contour, cannot crush. Prevents falling hair and itching scalp. Keeps hair fresh and dry, allowing free circulation of air through the pompadour. NO MORE HOT, UNCOMFORTABLE HAIR "RATS."

Made in two sizes, amber and shell,

Price *25c,* either size

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IN SHIRT WAISTS

You know what good values are. You are a woman. (This talk is to women) and we'll be disappointed if a good many women do not take advantage of the exceptional opportunity. How could they pass it with these bargains before them?

White Lawn Waists, *49c*

Front made of 14 hemstitched tucks and 4 box plaits, tucked back, large sleeve. Hemstitched cuffs and stock, worth 98c.

White Muslin Waists, *98c*

Extra fine quality, front composed of four rows of Val. insertion, 12 tucks and 2 rows of embroidery, also embroidered panel, tucked back and stock, tucked sleeves, 3-4 length, worth $1.98,

White Mull Waists, *$1.98*

Front made with broad panel, six deep tucks, and 5 large silk medallions, tucked back and sleeves, strapped shoulder and fancy stock, worth $1.98.

A chance of a——. We were going to say lifetime. Perhaps that's too far fetched. However, anyhow, YOU judge.

ASTERS

Handsome ones, the same kind we sold last week, only at a much cheaper price this week, white and fast colors,

25 for 10 Cents

On sale Friday and Saturday.

Contagious, Yes,

THE CORSET

Sale which opened last week Friday (and is still continuing) contained such an element of economy that the interest manifested seemed to be contagious. Everybody was interested, that is, everybody with a Corset want to fill, and many besides were the putting in a Future Supply. How Could They Help It, with Corsets worth $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50, at

59 Cents Pair

These Corsets are the well known "American Lady" brand, noted for comfort and style. Odds and ends, 'tis true, and with the "Seconds" mark on them, but Perfect in every other way. Over a dozen styles in Satine and Batiste.

Aren't they worth looking up?

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SCREENS AND SCREEN DOORS

Everything marked down in this line. Only room here for 2 numbers.

Screens, *10c*

Dark finish, adjustable, good wire. Regular Price 15c and 19c.

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Complete with spring, hinges, knob hook and eyes and screws. Regular price 89c.

Bargains in the

DOMESTIC BASEMENT SECTION

PILLOW SLIPS 11c EACH

Sizes 42x36 and 45x36. Extra good cotton, finished like linen, 3 in. hems. At the price of cotton today should sell for 15c each. Special 11c each.

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Table Covers and Pillow Shams, hemstitched and drawn work, would be good value at 49c or 69c.

ANTISEPTIC DIAPER CLOTH 59c PIECE

10 yards in piece, all perfect goods. Each piece in a paper bag. Usual Price 79c piece.

DANISH CLOTH 10c YARD

Black only. They tell us it is being sold in Boston for 19c and 25c yard. We know it is being sold elsewhere for 12½c, 15c and 17c yard Here 10c yard.

DIMITIES AND LAWNS 5c YARD—Have sold for 10c.

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A Story of a Youthful Hero and a Hospital Nurse

McManus, Professional

By OLIVIER HENRY

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NUMBER NINE, surgical ward, was lying quite still, with his eyes tightly closed and his little freckled hands pressed down hard on the covers so they might not see how they were trembling. Two doctors were standing by his bed. One was a large, portly man with bushy gray hair and a pretentious manner. That was the great Dr. Fletcher, senior physician in charge. The other—younger, thin, less imperative, wearing double glasses and a therapeutic side whisker—was Dr. Parks, the junior. Number Nine pretended to be asleep and listened, for they were talking about his case.

"But"— said Dr. Parks hesitatingly.

"But what?" said Dr. Fletcher impatiently. "The symptoms are there."

"Except"—

"Except the fever. I know he doesn't carry temperature. But it has never been proved that fever is invariably attendant."

"If"— began the junior.

"'If' is a dangerous word in surgery, my dear Parks."

The objector succumbed. The great Fletcher had dropped the formal and always slightly ironical "doctor" and had called him "my dear Parks." It was an unusual thing for the senior physician in charge to court the opinion of the junior, and perhaps that is why the junior regarded the diagnosis of Number Nine with something resembling suspicion. However, he succumbed to the cajolery of his chief.

"I shall operate at 3 o'clock this afternoon," said Dr. Fletcher. "If you care to be present you will, of course, receive mention as 'assisting' in the operation. But, as you do not concur in the diagnosis, I"—

"Indeed," interrupted Dr. Parks—"indeed, I fully agree with you in all the main points and will be glad to act as your assistant. Your knowledge, your experience, your high rank in"—

"Then," cut in the chief curtly, "at 3 sharp."

This being the last case in the surgical ward to be considered, the two physicians turned their momentous steps outward.

Number Nine opened his eyes, which were pale blue and very strained and scared looking.

Being only ten years old, he believed in the superstition that doctors and operating knives are the natural enemies of the integral human being.

The new surgical nurse came along and stopped at the foot of the bed. He and Number Nine had become friends immediately after their acquaintance had begun.

Perhaps some explanation is due as to why the Needle's Eye hospital came to employ Robert McManus as a professional nurse. The hospital was supported by a legacy and managed by a board, and that accounted for many things besides the popping of many corks in the officers' quarters and exceeding thin beef tea in the patients' wards. For example, if a pleasant faced young fellow comes along and is willing to undertake for fifty dollars certain duties that stand for a hundred on the pay roll, you naturally engage him on the spot. It is plain to see that the money will go further—in other directions. In this wise we find McManus, professional, at his new post.

"INDEED, I FULLY AGREE WITH YOU."

"Hello, kid!" said McManus, looking closely at the boy's chalky face. "What's the trouble?"

A shaky little paw crept from under the coverlet and clutched a finger of McManus' hand.

"Bob, you know as much as the doctors do, don't you?"

"Well, kid," said the nurse cogitatively, "a man gets rusty in his business sometimes. You see, I haven't been followin' my regular profession right lately. I played short and third with the Little Rocks all summer and they went to pieces and left me on the hog. I saw an ad. in the paper about a professional nurse wanted here, so I thought I'd sign with the hospital till there's somethin' doin'. You might keep all that to yourself, though, kid."

"Bob," said the boy with laboring breath, "do you know what pendy—pendy—sy—tis is?"

"Sure thing," answered McManus cheerfully. "The Sunday paper tells about it. But you don't call it right. It's appendiseedus. It comes from eatin' apple seeds, and they slice you up for it."

Number Nine's hand clung tighter. "They thought I was asleep," he continued "the doctors did—and I heard 'em talkin'. What's 'op—per—rate,' Bob?"

"Operate?" Bob rubbed his nose gently. "Why, that's the medical term for carvin'. They're goin' to carve some party up to see what's in 'um. Guess it's that guy in the last bed. I heard the croaker say last night he was goin' to cut off his narcotics."

"No, it's me, Bob; it's me! They was standin' right over me and thought I was asleep. Don't let 'em cut me up, Bob—please don't!"

"Steady, now, kid. Don't play too far off your base. Why didn't you say it was you?"

"I ain't got it, Bob—honest I ain't! It's just a little pain that 'll be well in a few days. Don't let 'em do it, Bob."

"Hold your base, now. These croakers ought to be on to their job. They want to do what's best for you. A croaker, you know, kid, he does the infightin' while a trained nurse like me only does the bottle and sponge act, you might say. They looked into your case. You been eatin' plenty apples, I guess, and swallowin' seeds."

"I double crisscross declare, Bob, I ain't et an apple in two months."

"That's funny," mused the new nurse perplexedly. "It comes always from eatin' apple seeds. What give you this pain, then, kid?"

Number Nine drew a long, slow, quivering breath.

"Nothin' never give it to me," he answered dully—"nothin 't all. Me fadder sent me here 'cause I was sick." After a pause he continued: "Me fadder giniune a sled one Chris'mus. Me fadder was good to me. Three o'clock, the doctor said, Bob, and it's most 12 now."

McManus laid Number Nine's paw back upon the covers and rose, stooping over him to arrange the pillow.

"Kid," he said thoughtfully, "you lay still and remember that Bob is goin' to look out for your interests. I'm goin' to investigate this business. Honest, now, you ain't been eatin' apples?"

"Hope I may die 'f I have, Bob."

The hospital druggist, an anemic young man in a garrulous checked suit and red necktie, was bending over his counter, jabbing capsules full of a white powder. Came the new nurse and leaned upon his elbow two feet away.

"Hospital pretty full for the time of year, doctor?" inquired the nurse insinuatingly, and scored a base hit.

"Oh, I'm not one of the physicians!" said the druggist in a tone that intimated the loss to the institution. "Though if it wasn't for my looking after things I don't know what the patients would do, old Fletcher's away so much. You're the new nurse—professional?"

"Professional—sure! It must take a pretty wise head, now, to hold your job. Guess you get on to all the latest dodges. What's your opinion about operatin' for appendiseedus, now?"

"It's a deuced neat caper," said the druggist, with a critical frown. "I always assist old Fletcher. He's crazy about appendi-ci-tis—excuse me—cases. He's writing a book on the subject. He's a brilliant operator, but I don't exactly approve of his plan of ligating and amputating below the ligature. I believe in suturing over it. Still, he's been successful."

"Your idea seems to me to be best," said McManus, with admiration in his tone. "Now, that kid, Number Nine, they're goin' to operate on—you think he's got it?"

"Well," said the druggist, slowly closing one eye, "did Eighteen have necrosis when Fletcher amputated his leg last Thursday? And did Five have septicæmia when he lost an arm on Saturday? I guess I can talk to you. You know what a surgeon who is writing a book wants—he wants subjects. Great Galen, he's an operator, though! It's a privilege to see him handle the blades. Cool!" The druggist shook his head in commendation beyond words.

"ME FADDER SENT ME HERE."

"You mean the kid ain't got it?" asked the nurse, with a shade too much interest in his voice. The druggist's enthusiasm ebbed a little. He shrugged his shoulders.

"Oh, he's been diagnosed. Fletcher is supposed to know his business. But," he added in a little flurry of self vindication, "you know yours, too, so just take a look at the temperature chart on the wall behind his bed."

"You know a first class croaker—er—I mean doctor—that's got an office close around here?" asked the nurse suddenly.

"There's Dr. McIvor, on the next corner below, this side of the street. I'm studying theory and practice with him after hours. He's A1, but not as daring as Fletcher."

Half an hour later McManus walked into Dr. McIvor's office and laid down $4.20 upon the table.

"That's my pile, Doc," he announced. "Take it and write me out on a piece of paper full directions how to size up when a party's got appendiseedus, dead sure thing or not, whichever the case may be."

At a quarter to 3 Dr. Fletcher strolled into the surgical ward jingling silver in his pocket and humming a tune in a very flat key. In his pseudo cheerful, loud voice he rallied the patients playfully—miserable wretches who must perforce seem visibly grateful for this gratis sick room heartiness—thus performing the part of the benefactor who condescends to relax.

Round the room he went, stopping here and there, pretending to be unaware of a certain bed, as a cat will sometimes circle, counterfeiting ignorance of a mouse she has caught and laid, disabled, a little out of her reach. While on his round he spoke a word to an attendant who put on a big white apron and went and busied himself in a smaller adjoining room.

At five minutes to 3 the new nurse began to hover around Number Nine's bed. As the clock began to strike he had just completed his fifth or sixth pretended arrangement of the bedclothes. On the stroke Number Nine's hand closed, with a desperate grip of terror, around his friend's primary digit. Dr. Parks strolled in, imitating as far as his rather mean port would permit the benignant strut of his superior. Finally, as the cat abandons comedy and goes to its meat, the senior physician's stroll culminated at Number Nine's bedside.

"And how does my little man feel?" he lisped, with the painful sprightliness of a stranger to child talk.

The nurse's finger that the boy held seemed to be in a vise. Number Nine's freckles grew dark against his increasing pallor. His eyes, the irises of which were completely white encircled, stared so fixedly at the distinguished vivisectionist that that gentleman's spurious smile became almost real as he noted the marvelous resemblance of Number Nine to one of the many rabbits he had seen gaze thus up at him wired down to his dissecting table.

"We will take little man in the other room and make um well. So nice! Diddle-dy-dum-dy-doo! You bring him," he added to McManus. "He seems to have taken a fancy to you."

Bob slipped one arm under Number Nine's neck and the other under his knees. The boy gulped a hard breath, probably to scream, but the nurse whispered to him:

"Don't play off too far, kid. Bob 'll bring you home when he gets to the bat. Sh-sh! Easy, now!"

The two doctors sauntered into the smaller room. The nurse followed, carrying Number Nine.

The operating room was furnished with the rigor of a morgue or a New England parlor. In the center of the tiled floor stood an iron skeleton frame couch whence, for better or worse, so many had drifted from pain into the precarious arms of the subtle goddess anæsthesia. The top of this grim trestle was slightly hollowed and lower at its foot, where holes were pierced immediately above a basin waiting significantly below. The arrangement of this simple device for holding the body while its life trickled through the holes was such that the operative faced a window, and it was his privilege to fix his gaze (an act sometimes unopen to repetition) upon an inviting lawn, flower bedecked in season, waving branches of green trees and a patch of blue sky into which, like as not, he might presently be soaring. A marble sink with glittering faucets, a copper boiler fuming over a gas burner, a few shelves, their contents concealed behind discreet drapery—these things and little else met the eye of the uninitiated intruder. Behind considerate screens lurked the machinery of science—the teeth behind the smile. There, back of glass doors, shone the

WITH SUCH APPARENT EASE.

things of steel and silver that are always thirstily searching through quivering flesh.

The attendant arranged the operating table. As the nurse laid Number Nine down he looked the boy straight in the eye and whispered:

"Will you trust Bob, kid?"

He heard a faint "Yes, Bob," and the small form, now Number Nine no longer, but a "subject," lay quite still looking out the window, but never releasing his hold on his protector's finger.

The druggist bustled importantly in with the boys to the instrument cases. The doctors donned white gowns. Fletcher was humming a tune. Dr. Parks stuffed some absorbent cotton into a paper funnel and began to pour the ether.

"You may go now," said Fletcher to the nurse.

"No-o-o-o!" the shrill voice of the boy went, keen and startling, through the wards. Outside in the corridor a nurse said to another: "Operating without anæsthetics! Old Fletcher's getting in a bigger hurry than ever."

Dr. Fletcher bent over the boy.

"Little man let the good doctor give um medicine to make um well." To McManus he said: "You'd better stay till he's under the influence. He'll be quieter." The druggist was arranging the instruments on a little stand. Unexpectedly the nurse spoke up.

"Doc," he said quietly, "the kid knows what you brought him in here for. He heard you and the other croaker talkin' it over. Doc, don't you think you're callin' too many strikes on him?"

Dr. Fletcher regarded McManus as he would have gazed upon an anatomical freak, minus the pleasure.

"What does this buffoonery mean?" he asked coldly.

"Wait till I have a look at the score card," said the nurse, drawing a sheet of paper from his pocket. "Here you are! Doc, that kid ain't got appendiseedus any more than I have. I got all the runs—I mean the symptoms—right here. 'Localized pain,' it says; that he's got. 'Rig-rig-idity of the wall on right side;' maybe he's got that. 'Tenderness in the ilio-ilio-cae;' I'll have to pass that word up. But, Doc, where's your fever? Where's your 'in-invariable rise of temperature?' The kid ain't had a mite of fever since he's been sick. Besides, Doc, I'll take a paralyzed oath he ain't et an apple in two months."

"I believe you represented yourself to be a trained nurse?" said Dr. Fletcher, incasing, for a moment, the fire of his rising wrath in the asbestos of sarcasm—"a professional."

McManus' eye met the doctor's withering gaze with a peculiar gleam in it.

"I am the goods," he said, with serene ambiguity.

"Leave this room and this hospital at once, you meddling ignoramus."

"You bet I'm a trained nurse," said Number Nine's champion softly, lingering with the original proposition.

"From what most extraordinary institution of instruction, may I ask?" said Fletcher, shifting back from his bluff to the more tenable ground of sarcasm.

"Barney Gilligan's East Side Gymnasium." The nurse's voice spilt the air as keen as one of the doctor's scalpels. "Want to see my diploma?" He bent over Number Nine. "Turn my finger loose, kid, and we'll make a home run."

McManus balanced himself lightly upon both feet, and now it would have been a captious critic who would not have said that his manner was purely professional. His arms moved outward, one after the other, with such apparent ease that it seemed out of all proportion to the exertion that the big doctor should fall with his head in a corner and remain there; also that Dr. Parks should dive backward through a screen and present only the soles of his shoes to the rest of the action.

"Am I a trained nurse?" remarked that individual, addressing the query to emptiness, or rather to unheeding ears, for the attendant and the druggist had fled, neither of them feeling authorized to examine into the credentials of Gilligan's graduate.

"Catch on, kid!" said the nurse. Number Nine's bony arms clutched his deliverer's neck. He felt himself lifted, as a feather, from the cheated altar of science and borne out through the ward. One stop they made when the nurse put on his hat and wrapped his coat around the boy. Then he took up his burden again and halted not until they were clear of the building and grounds of the Needle's Eye hospital.

On the sidewalk the boy said faintly: "I don't want to go back to me fadder, Bob. I wants to stay wid you."

"Not go back to your father, kid, when what was good to you and bought you a sled Chris'mus?"

"'Twas a many a Chris'mus ago, Bob. He was good to me once, and I ain't forgot it. He's different now. He's a-drinkin'. I wants to stay wid you, Bob."

"And you shall, kid. I told you I'd bring you home when it was my strike, and I'll do it. There's plenty of jobs. I'll find another one before night, and we'll stick together. Bob wouldn't let you die on third!"

"Bob!"

"Yes, kid."

"I'd never tell anybody but you. I know what's de matter wid me."

"The mischief you do! You sure you didn't eat a apple, kid, and it slipped your mind, maybe?" asked McManus anxiously.

"Sure. I knows all about it. I didn't want nobody to know. He used to be awful good to me, Bob. That sled was a red one with a yellow rose on de side. I ain't forgot it. But last week he kicked me—here in the side. That's what's the matter, Bob."

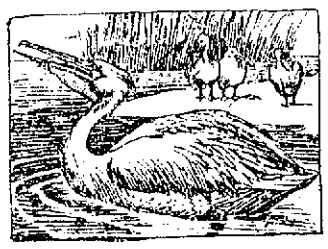
"And you wouldn't— Well, I be ——!" said the ex-nurse.

FACTS AND FUN FOR THE LITTLE MEN AND WOMEN

An Island of Pelicans

By ALBERTA PLATT

OCCASIONALLY the United States takes possession for itself of a district to preserve certain natural curiosities therein from the greed or destructiveness of men. This has been done with Pelican island, off the east coast of Florida. It was merely a speck of marsh land covered with grasses, trees and undergrowth—



PELICANS AT HOME.

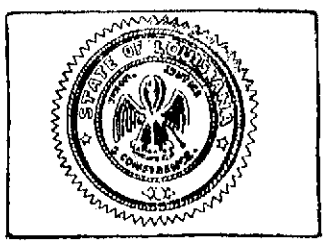
likewise mosquitoes. Its only inhabitants were flocks of the great white American pelican. This bird is as large as a swan, with a huge, horny beak over a foot long and very thick and heavy. As if the beak were not heavy enough of itself there is in the lower half of it an opening into a big, membranous bag or sac. This is to carry fish in. When the female is hatching her young, sitting upon her eggs on the ground, the male bird attends to his part of the business by bringing fish in his pouch for her to eat. After the young birds are hatched, both the father and mother carry fish to feed the young.

This is how a pelican fishes: It wades into the water of a river, lake or the sea, dips its great bill down and nabs a fish with the tips of its mandibles, which are the upper and lower halves of its bill. Then it raises its head quickly, opens the bag under its lower jaw and drops the fish in as you would drop apples into a bag. You see in the picture how this is done.

If the bird has young ones to feed, it leaves the water and flies home to them in a hurry. But it has no hands to pull that fish out of the sac. So it presses the under part of its bill and the sac hard against its breast and opens its mouth, when out pops the fish! Then the pelican feeds the young ones with it. The tip of the pelican's bill is red, and long ago among people who were not naturalists a story was started by persons who had seen the red beak against the white feathers that the pelican pecked at her breast till her own blood flowed and then fed her young with the scarlet drops. There are occasionally real drops of blood upon the pelican's breast, for the soft sac in which it holds the fish is often wounded from the sharp spine of a fish's fin and made to bleed. That helped the false story along.

People used to believe it, however, so, when Louisiana was admitted to this Union, her citizens chose as the state seal a heraldic picture of a pelican feeding her young ones with drops of blood from her breast. Thus, said they, will the state of Louisiana cherish her children.

These splendid great white birds lived at peace upon their island for centuries. Their flesh is not good to eat,



STATE SEAL OF LOUISIANA.

being rank and fishy in taste, and their plumage in too coarse and stiff for the milliners to make use of upon ladies' hats, so the pelicans of Pelican island had fair to live on and be happy, as they had been doing since long before America was discovered. But tourists began at last to find out what a lovely place Florida is in winter. They flocked there more and more. Travelers saw the snow white pelicans sailing in glorious flights above the island, saw them fishing in the shallow water along the shore, saw them carrying fish to feed their children. The innocent birds were of no earthly use dead to anybody, and living they did no harm to anybody.

But in the heart of man, alone of all living creatures, there appears to be an instinct of killing and destruction. Animals kill other creatures for food; man seems to kill from mere wicked delight in taking life. Men landed on the pelicans' island and shot them from mere wantonness. When these birds fly they lay their heavy heads back upon their bodies and sail high in air in great flocks. They are a wonderful sight. When they fish, also in flocks, they form a horseshoe shaped line in the water of the fishing place. But as the tourists visited the pretty island year by year the great sailing flocks above it became smaller and smaller, the horseshoe shaped fishing line became shorter and shorter. There was danger the birds would be exterminated.

Then President Roosevelt ordered that Pelican island should be made a government reservation, and guards now watch it, and henceforth the innocent birds will have their home to themselves again.

Goodby to Little Dickie Dawdle-so

By KATE E. JAMIESON.

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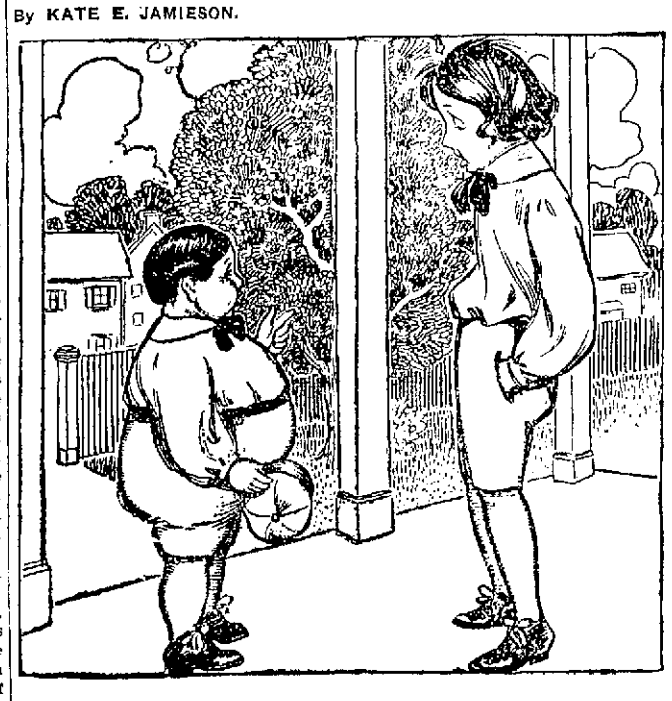

Little Dickie Dawdle-so
Got advice from Rhyming Joe,
Who told him, almost with a snicker,
That he should be a good deal quicker.
Further, as a parting sally,
Said, "You never see me dally."

Dickie, after Joe had gone,
Said, "Now, from this moment on,
Nevermore will I be late,
And make papa or mamma wait."
He kept his word, and Rhyming Joe
Declares we've lost our Dawdle-so.

PAPA AND THE BABY.

The five-year-old son was asking his father some severe questions about a recent addition to the family.

"Does that baby like ma?" the youngster asked sharply.

"Oh, yes, he likes your ma," said his father, "but he likes me, too."

Thereupon the five-year-old, from whom great things were expected, exclaimed:

"Likes you? Then why does he cry when he looks at you?"

Work Versus Play.

"There's one thing about me that I don't understand," said Tommy thoughtfully, "and that's why it is that making marks on wall papers is such lots of fun and making 'em in copybooks in school is such hard work."

Wicked Willie.

Sunday School Teacher—How many commandments are there, Willie?"

Willie—Ten.

Sunday School Teacher—And suppose you were to break one of them?

Willie—Then there 'd only be nine.

Bertie's View of It.

"Whom do you take after, Bertie—your pa or your ma?"

"Neither of 'em. Ma an' me takes together. Pa gits wot's left—if there is any left."

SILLY SALLY'S CAKE.

Silly Sally made a cake
And put some raisins in it;
She placed it in the oven hot
And left it there a minute.

Then she took it out again
To see if it was done,
But no, of course it was not baked;
It had only begun.

So then she put it back again
And left it there a day.
But when she went to take it out
The cake had burned away.

The Cat That Winds a Clock.

This is a picture of a cat that winds a clock. She does not forget it, but when the hour draws near in which she is accustomed to wind it she seats her-

KITTY AT THE CLOCK WEIGHT.

self in front of it and watches until the hands point to the exact time. Then, climbing up, she catches the weight in her paws and drags it down. The clock is then wound up for another twenty-four hours. This valuable pussy belongs to a North Dakota farmer, who thinks she is worth her weight in gold.

"Papa, what are the 'dogs of war'?"
"Bulldogs, Johnny."

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LOCAL NEWS

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BILLERICA.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conway, Sr., have returned after a week's visit to Nahant beach.

North Billerica council, R. A., will cross bats with Industry Council at Faulkner park tomorrow afternoon.

James F. Barry, of Boston, who has been visiting friends in the town during the past week returned to his home yesterday.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended meeting of Merrimack Valley lodge, Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F., was held last night and Deputy Riley of Lawrence was present at the meeting to install the recently elected warden. Six candidates were also initiated. The lodge voted the sum of $25 from the treasury to aid those of its members who had been badly injured or had lost property in the recent explosion. A committee was appointed for the distribution of the money and relief.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, No. 24, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and decided to hold an outing tomorrow. The principal attraction will be a ball game between Lowell lodge and Samuel Hines lodge. The game will be played at the Uncedа Boat club grounds in Billerica. The following committee is in charge: Sam G. Lyness, Robert Rutherford, Wm. H. Walker, for Lowell lodge; W. S. Shaw, H. C. Bee and H. C. Bowen for Samuel Hines lodge.

Races, Sports and Bowling on the Green, Bunting Grounds.

BULLET PROOF VEST

SHOT FIRED AT MAN HAD NO EFFECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 14.—In the squad room of the Desplaines street police station yesterday a big policeman pulled his revolver from his hip pocket, took deliberate aim at a man standing at the end of the room and fired. The man did not drop dead, but turned a smiling face at his adversary, who then fired three more shots in rapid succession, which all went wide of the mark. Half a dozen officers in the room looked on with deep interest during the shooting, and one of them said: "You would not catch me taking a chance like that, bullet-proof vest or not. There might be a hole in it some place." A bullet-proof vest invented by Cassimir Zieglon, stopped the leaden missiles. The vest is guaranteed to stop a Colt's 44 bullet at 20 paces. It was being tested for the edification of the police. The vest is made by a secret process, and resembles a heavy quilted silk cloth. It stops the bullets, however, and the man who wears it scarcely feels the impact of the missile.

Band Concert by Griffith's Band, Bunting Grounds, Saturday.

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Lawn Party Under Auspices of Altar Society of St. Michael's Church—Large Attendance and Fine Entertainment Provided

No prettier place for a lawn party can be found than St. Mary's grove in Collinsville, adjoining the little church where the Catholics of the town worship. Yesterday afternoon and last night the grove held fifteen hundred people who attended the party under the auspices of the Altar society of St. Michael's church, and a most enjoyable time was provided for both young and old. The numerous trees in the grove and surrounding it were ablaze with light and large reflectors placed behind mammoth lanterns, threw a gleam of light across the large space occupied by the dancing pavilion and the booths erected for the occasion. Japanese lanterns were strung from the topmost branches of the trees and near the booths were hung in great profusion.

The booths showed the decorative tact of the young ladies and each one presented a most beautiful appearance. So attractive were they and so persistent were the fair attendants in soliciting trade, that during the entire evening there was not a single dull moment. The ice cream was in great demand and the tonic table did a rushing business. The mystery table kept the great crowd of customers guessing all the time, and judging from the amount of candy disposed of there were many "sweet-toothed" people in the grove.

There was plenty of opportunity for dancing and floor director McKenna and his assistants were kept busy.

In the afternoon the children had the grounds to themselves save for one brief period when the grocery clerks of Lakeview avenue and Bridge street settled an old score at base ball, and the Bridge street nids won.

There was a Punch and Judy show for the little ones and sports occupied some of their time.

The affair was most successful, and quite a sum will be realized for the purpose of securing adornments for the altar at St. Michael's church. Rev. Denis Murphy, who is in charge of the Altar society and who aroused interest in last night's lawn party, desires to thank all the young men and women in the parish who lent their aid in making it a success, and also those who contributed to the different tables.

Following is a list of tables and attendants:

Refreshment table—Mrs. Philip Donahue, matron; Miss Anna Duffy, treasurer; Mrs. McArdle, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. McDonough, Mrs. Monahan, Mrs. McNeil, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Quinn, Miss Annie Bradley, Miss Margaret Chisholm, Miss Mary Breen, Miss Mary Nixon, Miss Mary Duffy, Miss Della McNally, Miss Susie Duffy, Mrs. Mathew McCaffrey, Miss Louise O'Connell, Miss Katherine White, Miss Hannah White.

Ice cream table—Mrs. Breen, Mrs. Campbell, matrons; Miss Mary Callahan, treasurer; Miss Alice Markin, Miss Alice Garrigan, Miss Ella Callahan, Miss Margaret Callahan, Miss Gertrude Doherty, Miss Mary Doherty, Miss Mary Minahan, Miss Margil Breen, Miss Nellie Breen, Miss Gertrude Donohue, Miss Josephine Donohue, Miss Mary Furlong, Miss Jennie Joyce, Miss Catherine Murray, Miss Mary Riley, Miss Annie Lavoy, Miss Bushnell.

Lemonade and tonic table—Miss Margaret McCluskey, matron; Miss Agnes Callahan, treasurer; Miss Rose Dowd, Mrs. Culnin, Mrs. Foye, Miss Mary Joyce, Miss Marie Cogger, Miss Martha Rogers, Miss Frances Hickey, Miss Ella Foye, Miss Mary Ryan, Miss Mary Healey, Miss Jennie McKinley, Miss Nellie Riley, Miss Mary Fitzgerald, Miss Fanny Bagley, Miss Mary Kenney, Miss Mary Grennan, Miss Katie Grennan, Miss Mary Leary, Miss Nettie Brady, Miss Marcella Murphy, Miss Gertrude Shaw, Miss Annie Logan, Miss Lizzie Logan, Miss Julia King, Miss Etta Courtney, Miss Mary Coolig, Miss Bagshaw, Miss Annie Donovan, Miss May Kennedy.

Candy table—Miss Katherine Chisholm, matron; Miss Mary Brown, treasurer; Miss Minnie Connell, Miss Margaret Connell, Miss Katherine Connell, Miss Mamie Owens, Miss Jennie Purcell, Miss Alice Purcell, Miss Jennie McKinley, Miss Julia Henry, Miss Annie Chisholm, Miss Bella Chisholf, Miss Alice Bagley, Miss Ella Graham.

Fishing pond—Miss Lucy Sheridan, Miss Elizabeth Rafter, matrons; Miss Agnes R. Burns, Miss Rose McGivon, Miss Mae Hubin, Miss Della Barry, Miss Clara Bates, Miss Kathryn McDonough, Miss Hattie Angelo, Miss Nettie Rogers, Miss Kathryn Murray, Miss Margaret Hubin, Miss Mae Fanning, Miss Katie Fanning, Mrs. Owen Gilday, Mrs. Clarence Cunningham, Miss Nellie Maloney, Miss Kathryn Mackin, Miss Mae Burns, Miss Helen Dowd, Miss Anna Cronin, Miss Helen Fitzpatrick, Miss Greely, Miss Kelley, Miss Margaret Baxter, Miss Anna Englesby, Miss Bridget Joyce, Miss Hannah O'Neil, Miss Doris Burns, Miss Tena Flanders, Miss Agnes Sullivan, Miss Gertrude Reed, Miss Katherine Kenney, Miss Marietta McGrath, Miss Jennie Maguire, Miss Eva Tramor, Miss Margaret McDonough, Miss Minnie Jones, Miss Della McNally, Miss Louise Roache, Miss Alice Fanning, Miss Agnes Bates, Miss Kathryn Hubin.

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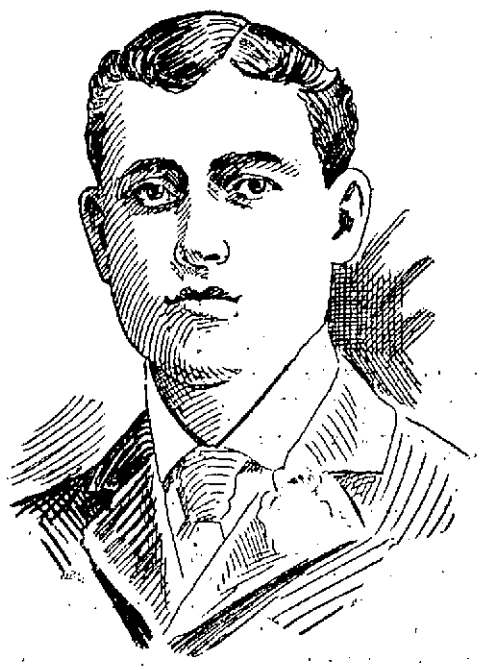

DANIEL P. McKENNA, FLOOR DIRECTOR.

BILLADEAU MAY DIE

HE HAS AN ATTACK OF HICCOUGHS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HINSDALE, Aug. 14.—Joseph Billadeau, 60 years, was attacked by hiccoughs on Sunday and his sufferings since have been intense and he is greatly reduced in strength and will die unless relief can be given him. He has been attended by physicians, who are puzzled over the continuance of the attack. Mr. Billadeau is a laboring man and has never before been attacked by this strange affliction. The case is serious and specialists have been sent for.

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Saturday, Aug. 15, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF THE SCOTT PROPERTY, NO. 24 CEDAR STREET, AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

By virtue of the power, authority and direction given to me as the executor of the will of Jane Scott, late of Lowell, Mass., deceased, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, regardless of the weather, the following described real estate:

A two-tenement house and about 2660 square feet of land, situated on the easterly side of Cedar street. The lot has a frontage of 38 feet on Cedar street and is 70 feet in depth, is very dry and all fenced in.

The building is a two-tenement house, consisting of 5 rooms and water closet on the first floor; 4 rooms on the second floor, also 2 finished attics with the upper tenement. An extra dry cellar, good sewerage and water service, also plenty of yard room.

This will certainly make a very good home for someone of moderate means, and it is in an excellent location for renting property.

TERMS—$250 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.

By order of
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FRENCH IN COURT

The Alleged Dog Poisoner Was Without Counsel

His Case Was Continued to August 20 — Worcester Man Carried a Gambling Device—Erring Couple Held

William H. French, whose arrest for the alleged poisoning of dogs in Centralville caused quite a sensation a week ago, was in police court today. Peter A. Fay, counsel for Mr. French, was not in court and the case was continued. Mr. Fay was engaged in the superior court at Boston and his engagement there had been made previous to the continuance of Mr. French's case. The case was continued to Aug. 20.

CARRIED SWEAT BOARD.

John M. Kelly came here from Worcester yesterday and up to the time that he got drunk was to all intent and purposes an honest man. John succeeded, however, in finding a place where the red eye was being dished out at ten per copy, and, thinking he was being unusually well treated in a no-license town, proceeded to fill up. John got very drunk, helplessly drunk, and the rubber tired vehicle at police station was sent for. John was locked up and the only kick he registered was when the arresting officer started in to search his pockets. John said it was no fair to search his pockets. "You may find something that will look sus-sus-sus-p-icious," said John, "but tell the truth there's no harm in me." While John was talking the officer had gone down into his pocket and brought out a sweat board and the necessary dice with which to play the game. John said he was not in the habit of gambling. He carried the board, he said, to amuse himself when he was alone in a strange place. The court, upon hearing his story, thought it was a strange one and imposed a fine of $5.

STOLE COPPER WIRE.

Thomas O'Donnelly, 15, John J. Shelby, 15, and William J. Griffin, charged with the larceny of copper wire, the property of the Boston & Northern street railway, were fined $10 each.

Manuel P. Quados was charged with buying junk from minors. He it was who bought the copper wire that the boys stole and Judge Hadley said that he intends putting his foot down good and hard on junke dealers who buy from minors, thus encouraging them to steal. Quados was fined $35.

HELD IN $500 EACH.

Clarence Fife and Fannie Douglas, charged with adultery, were ordered in $500 each for their appearance before the court Aug. 17.

JETT AND WHITE GUILTY

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYNTHIANA, KY., AUG. 14.—JETT AND WHITE FOUND GUILTY AND SENTENCED FOR LIFE.

YOOKERS ALIVE

Was in Contact With Trolley Wire

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—A broken trolley wire carrying voltage that would have been death to the average man, held Edward Yookers, a switchman at the Broadway, Brooklyn ferries, rigid in his tracks for five minutes and he is still alive. Five hundred persons saw Yookers' narrow escape.

Yookers was standing under the trolley wire when it snapped and curled about his body. When he was released an ambulance surgeon examined him and said Yookers would probably recover.

CONSTABLE McMANUS

FIGURES IN AN EPISODE IN SPRINGFIELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 14.—Kostas Stawopolas, a Greek who keeps a fruit stand near the Elm street bridge, is under arrest for the larceny of about 75 bunches of bananas.

An attachment was placed on the property by Sheriff Leyden of Springfield in the interests of Christos Stanopalis, a fruit dealer located in the Greek colony on Market street, this city, and Richard McCarthy and James Sullivan were appointed keepers.

About 9 o'clock Tuesday night the Greek went to the basement where the property was and by breaking in a window and later opening the door removed the bananas. He was warned by citizens and by Patrolmen Broadbent and Sullivan, but he persevered till he had removed all the property.

He sang and whistled while carrying away the bananas under protest of the police, who did not choose to interfere in a civil suit by arresting him.

Constable John McManus was the man who worked the affair up to the point where the keepers appeared on the scene, and when he heard what they allowed Kostas to do he threw up his hands in contempt.

IMPERIAL TROOPS

Are Now in Control of Krushevo

FOUR THOUSAND BESIEGED THE PLACE

$80,000 for Widow of Murdered Consul

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 14.—The Imperial troops have occupied Krushevo, 23 miles north of Monastir, which was recently seized by the insurgents. A force of four thousand troops besieged the place and bombarded it with artillery.

The fighting with the revolutionists is still proceeding outside the town.

Consular advices from Monastir and Salonica, endorse the belief that any overt movement in those towns on the part of the revolutionary committee will lead to the massacre of the Bulgarian inhabitants by the Mussulmans.

The panic continues at Monastir, where the shops are closed.

A settlement of the indemnity for the murder of M. Rostkovski, the Russian consul, at Monastir, is imminent. The government's offer of $80,000 to the widow, appears to be satisfactory to Russia. The Russian government continues to insist on the execution of the murderer.

Dispatches received by the Porte give particulars of a number of encounters with the insurgents. The latter attacked the village of Gumenje, throwing bombs into it, but official dispatches say the insurgents were repulsed. The foreign representatives have demanded of the Porte, protection for the consuls and foreign residents at Monastir. The grand vizier has promised effective measures of protection. The Mussulmans in the disturbed area are persisting in having arms and ammunition to protect themselves against the Christians. This is considered a dangerous factor in the situation.

TONIGHT'S FIGHT

Will be Bulletined by The Sun

The Sun will megaphone and bulletin the Corbett-Jeffries fight tonight. Come down to The Sun building and hear the news. The fight will not start until midnight, eastern time, but the preliminaries will be put on early and these will be announced from The Sun office.

BOARDING HOUSEKEEPERS

INTEND TO GET AFTER THE "BEATS."

The boarding-house keepers of this city have a movement on foot whereby they will organize for mutual protection. Every now and then boarders desert their boarding houses owing several weeks and sometimes a month's board bill, and it is hard for the boarding-house keepers to ever collect this money.

Several of the proprietors of boarding houses started the movement and others readily joined and a meeting will be held at a later date when plans will be perfected.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Simpson Wednesday, when their daughter, Miss Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Carl Floyd of this city. The best man was Willie Simpson, brother of the bride. The bride was attired in white pearl Swiss muslin and carried sweet peas. The bridesmaid wore a similar gown. The officiating clergyman was Rev. W. H. Yarrow.

After the ceremony the happy couple left for Boston and other parts unknown. They were accompanied by the bridesmaid and the best man. After a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd will be at home to friends after Sept. 1 at 1 Nelson avenue, this city.

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JUDGE GROSSCUP

Wants Government to Supervise Monopolies

THE ONLY HOPE FOR THE AMERICAN NATION

Securities Manipulated for Promoters

By Associated Press to The Sun

DIXON, Ill., Aug. 14—Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States circuit court, in an address here before the Lutheran assembly, expressed his belief that in the supervision of monopolies by the government lies the only hope for the perpetuation of the American nation, and sounded a warning against a manipulation of securities in the interests of unscrupulous promoters and speculators.

In the fact that within the last 10 days the deposits in savings banks have increased from two billion to 10 billion, a sinister rather than a sanguine meaning was traced, the judge declaring that under normal conditions the vast amount would have been invested by the laboring classes but that it was lying idle because "polite swindlers and high-up rascals" were able to subvert the laws and give to stocks a value that they do not really possess.

"We can never go back to the days of our boyhood," said the speaker, "but we can go back to the days when the man with $100 did not have to hoard it or intrust it to his neighbor for safe-keeping, but could put it into investments, sure that it would return with earnings.

"What should be done? Change the laws so that no set of men can organize a corporation except on a strict legal basis. Then put it under such supervision as the national banks are subject to and I believe that, little by little, this immense hoarding in the savings banks of 10 billion dollars will be trickling into ownership again.

"I say nothing against the man who makes his fortune honestly," said Judge Grosscup, "but when I see the laws of my country introduced to enable men to consolidate money for the public good, turned into the excuse for swindles that should land the promoters in the penitentiary and see that become the almost universal history of corporations, every drop of my blood boils with hate and revenge."

Mrs. R. J. Lang and little Miss Marguerite Lang have returned from Fitchburg, where they had been for the last few weeks the guests of Mrs. Lang's brother, Mr. John J. Rourke, and Mrs. Rourke.

Miss Margaret Allen of Hurd street, accompanied by the Misses Alice and Theresa Delaney, and Miss Margaret O'Neil will enjoy the waves at Crescent beach the next ten days.

PERSONALS

William Taylor and family have gone to Hampton beach.

Prof. F. W. Griffin of Malden is visiting relatives in Dracut.

Dr. F. G. Gulliland has returned from his vacation.

Mrs. Lydia Shepard of Dracut has gone to Malden on a visit to her brother, Y. S. Griffin.

Mr. John A. Keyes is home on a two weeks' visit from Garden City, N. Y.

Miss Helen O'Sullivan of Mt. Washington street is at Old Orchard, Me., for a stay of two weeks.

Miss Edythe Wedge and Miss Sadie Shrigley are spending their vacation with friends at Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Griffin and daughter, Mrs. Grace E. Harrington, have gone to Rockport and Bay View for two weeks.

Dr. Omer P. Porter has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness as to attend to his professional duties.

Miss Sarah Kelley of Cross street, daughter of Truant Commissioner Kelley, is spending her vacation at Old Orchard.

Misses Mabel and Blanche Sullivan of Lawrence street are spending a two weks' vacation at Newburyport and Salisbury beach.

Mr. William Rourke of Lang's pharmacy, has returned from Fitchburg, where he had been spending an enjoyable two weeks' vacation.

Misses Margaret McCarron, of Lawrence street, and Clara and Lillian Poff, of Whipple street have returned from vacations spent at Lynn beach.

Mrs. William Swallow and William Swallow, Jr., of Moore street, and John Lyman, of Cady street, leave tomorrow for a two weeks' vacation to be spent in Hamilton, Ont.

Among the guests registered at the Metropolitan hotel, Revere beach, are Misses Mary and Katie Corcoran. Later they will join friends at Peak's Island, Me.

Miss Bernice M. Moulton, the well known pianist, leaves today for a month's sojourn to the Islands of Casco Bay, and other points of interest along the Maine coast.

Mrs. Charles Foley and Charles D. Foley Jr., have returned after 10 days at Juniper Point and Salem Willows.

Miss Margaret Stanley of Otis street is visiting relatives in Norwich, Conn.

The following delegates will attend the convention of the C of F which will be held in Philadelphia Tuesday September 1st: Nellie Hyde, Rosa Ward, and Clara McPhail of Spindle City circle; Mary Gookin of Star of Lowell circle and Nellie Hrofby of Golden Harvest circle.

Miss Clara Daisy Wardman of Hampshire street is passing the month of August at Greenfield, N. H., as the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barrett. Later she will go to Windsor, Vt., to spend the rest of her school vacation with her aunt.

Miss Lizzie Wright and Miss Georgie Clifford are spending two weeks at Salisbury beach.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

BODY OF A BOY

Found on Bank of the River

Superintendent of Police Moffatt of this city today received word from the chief of police at Andover that the body of a boy had been found on the bank of the Merrimack river at that place this morning. It was stated that the boy had on a pair of overalls, but any further description than that had not been given him. The Andover police official notified Supt. Moffatt that he would communicate with him any other details as soon as he learned them.

In all probability the body found is that of little Johnny Lyman of 175 Charles street, who lost his life in the Prescott canal Monday afternoon and whose body was washed into the Merrimack river.

DEATHS

HAMILTON—Joseph M. Hamilton, aged 55 years, died Wednesday of eczema, at his residence, 107 Cedar street, Manchester, N. H. He is survived by one son, James J. Hamilton, salesman for F. M. Bill & Co., of this city, who has the sympathy of his friends. Mr. Hamilton was a bricklayer by trade and was formerly in the grocery business. He was a member of the cathedral and of the A. O. H., Div. 1, at Manchester.

STACKPOLE—Mrs. Huldah C. Stackpole, aged 81 years, 1 month and 28 days, died at her home in Billerica, last evening. She leaves one son, S. W. Stackpole of Billerica, and three daughters, Mrs. Otis Remick of Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Mrs. Benjamin Hutchins and Mrs. Benjamin Thayer of Billerica.

Miss Sarah Cromey of Elm street and Miss Mary Dockery of Fairmount street are stopping at the Metropolitan hotel, Revere beach.

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MORNING BLAZE

Hildreth Street House Nearly Destroyed

BUILDING WAS AN OLD LANDMARK

Fire Had Gained Considerable Headway

THE HORSE AND CARRIAGES TAKEN OUT IN SAFETY

Some Delay In Sounding Alarm

A fire broke out in the residence of Orange H. Stafford, 321 Hildreth street, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning and before the fire department had it under control a good portion of the ell of the building had been burned.

The main portion of the house is built of stone, but a wooden ell connects the stone house with the barn. The fire started in a room on the second floor of the ell and it is not known how long it had been burning when it was discovered by one of the neighbors. When discovered are fire was making its way through the roof.

An alarm from box 67 was pulled in and when the department arrived the fire was burning at a furious rate. As the fire started near the barn the firemen were afraid it would communicate with the hay and destroy that building, but owing to the peculiar construction of the house the blaze worked its way through the top of the wooden ell and the firemen had the hardest time in keeping it from getting into the interior of the stone house.

After considerable difficulty the fire was extinguished, and the principal damage was to the ell, the room in which the fire started being completely gutted while a good portion of the roof was destroyed. The main damage to the interior of the stone house was from smoke and water. The damage will be about $800.

In the room where the fire started were stored blankets, winter clothing and other things, and it is thought that matches were left in the room and that mice or rats got gnawing them and started the fire.

Mr. Stafford sleeps in a room near the ell of the house and when he was aroused and found the house afire his first act was to notify the other occupants of the house. After the inmates had been aroused he went into the yard and securing a garden hose attempted to battle with the flames, but they had got too much of a headway and he soon abandoned this plan.

He then went to box 67, but when he arrived at the fire alarm box he found that there were no keys, the keys having been placed in different houses near the box as boys had rung in false alarms and removed the keys from the box on several occasions. After awhile a police officer came along and pulled in the alarm.

The fire department did good work after arriving on the scene, and while it was thought that the barn was doomed it escaped with a scorching. A horse and several carriages were removed to a place of safety.

The Stafford house is an old landmark having, been built many years ago. Despite the fact that it is old it was well constructed and is much stronger at the present time than many modern structures.

The two Georges at the Bunting Grounds Saturday.

FUNERALS

DICKSON—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah C. Dickson, who died in Nelson, N. H., last Monday, took place from the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday. Rev. Mr. Jenkins of St. Anne's church officiated. Undertaker Ela had charge of the arrangements.

SNAY—The funeral of the late Joseph Snay took place yesterday from his home in Chelmsford, services sung at St. Jean Baptiste's church. Rev. Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Stanislas Gravel, Joseph Gireuard, John Lessard, Moise Gaudette, Prosper Gaudette and Jean B. Gaudette, all of Nashua, and all relatives of the deceased.

Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., read the committal services at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge of the funeral arrangements.

WARD—The funeral of Helen Elizabeth Ward was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents in North Chelmsford and burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Savage.

Officer John Hickson has announced that he will spend his vacation at Hogan's beach. He has been looking over the cottages there and found one with 26 rooms that he says will suit him all right, with the exception that the studding is a little low.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun

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CAREY WENT OUT

He Could'nt Stand Wolcott's Punches

FINE BOUTS AT TAMMANY CLUB

George Gardner Makes a Little Speech

It isn't often that a punch in the kidneys puts a boxer out, yet it was a vicious short-arm blow of that sort which laid big Tom Carey of New York low at the Tammany Athletic club in Boston, last night, while another victory goes on the long list beside the name of Joe Walcott, Boston's wonderful colored puzzle. The kidney punch was preceded by a couple of hard ones on the jaw, but the blow made popular by George Gardner whose awkwardness in making it in days gone by caused so much amusement for the spectators, did the business for Mr. Carey. It was somewhat unusual to see a man knocked out by a "punch in the back," but he went out nevertheless after making a first rate showing for eight rounds.

There were 2800 members including some 50 from Lowell at last night's meeting of the Tammany, and like all other meetings of this popular club the bouts were fine throughout and well worth the trip. The Walcott-Carey bout was not only interesting and at times exciting but was decidedly amusing on account of the personality of Carey. If Carey was as well fixed mentally as he is physically he could lick a whole ringful of Walcotts. But some one must have told him to keep his eye on the picture-machine for he "rubbered" at every corner of the building and bowed to each of the 2800 individuals present, and only looked at Walcott when a stiff punch in the ribs or on the jaw called his attention to the inglorious part of his job. If any one whispered: "Good boy, Tom," loud enough to be heard, Carey appeared to want to stop the bout until he had duly thanked the member for his encouragement.

But when he was working he kept Walcott busy and in the second and fourth rounds he had the better of the argument. In fact on the fourth he had Walcott somewhat wobbly but he either forgot or didn't know how to follow up his advantage.

After sparring a short time in the eighth round, Carey got in a couple of left punches on the head. Walcott laid back for an opportunity to get in close. By fooling the New Yorker with a feint Joe closed in and landed two lefts on the jaw that rattled Carey. He quickly followed with a right on the other side and as the New Yorker tried to clinch the colored wonder slammed a right swing into the kidneys and the band played "Home, Sweet Home."

In the preliminaries Jimmy Danlon of the North End won from Kid Dauiz in six rounds and Young Donahue of Roxbury defeated Young Gilman from the same district in eight rounds. Dan Donnelly, the village blacksmith, refereed and his decisions were impartial and accurate. The Tammany club gymnasium is the most comfortable place in Boston to witness a performance of this kind. The bouts were over in time to enable the Lowell party to make the theatre train.

During the evening George Gardner who was present was called into the ring and introduced to the members by Referee Donnelly as the coming champion of the world. The crowd cheered lustily and demanded a speech. George was inclined to be shy but he said: "Gentlemen, as the light heavy weight champions I am ready and willing to defend the title against all comers. As a guarantee of good faith with Robert Fitzsimmons I have posted $5000 of my own money to bind a match with him. If he will cover that deposit he will find me easy to do business with afterward." Gardner was cheered again as he resumed his seat.

DEATH SENTENCE

For Murderer of Russian Consul

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 14.—A court martial held at Monastir yesterday condemned the Gendarme Hall to death for the murder of M. Rotskovski, the Russian consul at Monastir. The sentence was immediately carried out.

Another gendarme was sentenced to 15 years penal servitude.

DROPPED DEAD

Woman Was Kneeling in Prayer

SHE FELL DEAD ON THE FLOOR

Deceased a Well Known Centralville Resident

Ellen Cotter, a well known and highly respected resident of Centralville, dropped dead this morning at her home, 4 Viles avenue. Heart failure was the cause of death.

Miss Cotter arose from bed this morning about six o'clock and when partially dressed knelt down to say her prayers. She had not been on her knees more than a couple of seconds when she fell over on the floor dead.

The noise of the woman's fall attracted the attention of other people in the house, and rushing to the room they found Miss Cotter on the floor. It was thought that she was weak and had fainted away. Attempts were made to restore her to consciousness, but before long it was ascertained that her heart had stopped beating and she was dead.

Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons were notified, as was Medical Examiner Irish. The deceased had been a resident of Centralville for a number of years and was a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church.

The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from her home.

BILL APPROVED

For Purchase of Boisvert Lot

A meeting of the committee on accounts, Alderman Gallagher, Councilmen Welch and Worcester, was held this morning at city hall at 10 o'clock. Several bills were approved, among them being the one for $11,000 for the new school house land in Centralville, owned by Jacques Boisvert and John H. Beaulieu.

The mayor's letter, which has been published in this paper, in which he scored the committee for summoning him to be present at their meeting, was read and ordered to be placed on file.

The committee then adjourned without taking an action on the salute bill.

TOBACCO CULTURE

ATTEMPTED IN LOWELL BY MR. COUTURE.

Almost everything that can be raised from the ground has been tried in this city, but it is doubtful if any one ever attempted the cultivating of the tobacco plant until Alexis Couture started this rather novel business in this part of the country on the J. C. Ayer lot at the corner of Mt. Washington and Bowers street.

Mr. Couture is using 233 feet of the lot for a tobacco patch and 899 fine tobacco plants. They have grown to a height of about 2½ feet, while a few have gone a foot higher.

Extraordinary care must be used in the cultivating of these plants, and daily Mr. Couture has to answer lots of questions put to him by curiosity seekers, whose attention is attracted by the peculiar plants. He expects that the tobacco will be ready in December.

MINISTRY RESIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SANTIAGO, De Chile, Aug. 14.—Owing to the political crisis the ministry has resigned. Important political changes are expected.

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THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

FEARFUL HAVOC

Spread by Recent Cyclone in Martinique

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14. The state department has received the following cablegram from John J. Jewell, American consul at Martinique, dated Fort de France today:

"Cane, cocoa and coffee crops total loss. Fruits and vegetables positively destroyed. Every town and village injured. Thousands of houses down. Deaths few. Communication difficult. Breadstuffs, provisions, galvanized roofing will find ready sale."

KNOCKOUT BLOW WAS NOT MISSED

Hotel Employes Had Fist Fight

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 14.—As a result of a fist fight between Howard Cates, aged 25, of Boston, a waiter in a hotel at Bayview, and John Pombrant, aged 35, of Biddeford, steward at the same hotel, yesterday afternoon, the latter received a blow which rendered him unconscious for a couple of hours.

At one time it was feared that he would die, but last night he was better, and the attending physician said that unless something unforseen developed, he would recover. He was taken to a Biddeford hospital.

The fight occurred in a grove back of the hotel, and was witnessed by no one except a little boy, who was not able to tell much about the struggle.

After delivering the knockout blow, young Cates ran to the hotel, where he informed his associates in the dining room that he had knocked Pombrant out, but said he had done so in self-defence. He told them to go to the scene as quickly as possible. He then went to his wife, who was at the hotel, and bidding her goodby, came to Old Orchard and gave himself up.

Great excitement was caused by one of the employes rushing into the room where the waiters were assembled and shouting that Pombrant was dead. Mrs. Cates, who was present, was prostrated. She afterwards recovered and went to Boston on the evening train.

According to her story Pombrant has been overbearing to her husband for some time, and yesterday challenged him to a fight after dinner was served.

About 3 p. m. the men went to the grove alone, and a few minutes later her husband came running into the room and bade her goodby.

Cates is powerfully built. He is detained at police headquarters pending the result of Pombrant's injuries.

WAS NOT MISSED

Bond Long Stolen Found in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 14.—Leverett Webster, a farmer of the west parish of this city, is $1000 richer than he was Wednesday night, but by the discovery of the fact learns that he is actually $500 poorer than he supposed himself to be Wednesday.

The paradox is explained by the fact that he was robbed of $1500 in bonds, he supposes about five years ago, and never knew it until the Boston police recovered a $1000 bond and traced it to his ownership, notifying him through the Haverhill police.

The bond was offered in a Boston broker's office some days ago by a stranger, who could not account for its possession and who fled when accused of stealing it. The Boston police were notified and the registration of the bond traced, resulting in a notice being sent to Haverhill.

Mr. Webster accompanied Inspector Durgin of the Haverhill police force to Boston yesterday and identified and recovered his $1000 bond, but the smaller one is still missing.

TRAP SHOOT HELD

By the Rod and Gun Club Yesterday

The Lowell Rod and Gun club held a grand shoot on its grounds yesterday afternoon, and invited the ex-members to take part in the sport. It was the intention of the young members to show the old clay pigeon men how to break blue rocks, but they found it was as hard for the "hasbeens" to forget as it is for the "wouldbes" to learn.

An interesting feature of the day was a five bird event, on the live bird system. This gave the shooter the privilege of using the second barrel if he missed with the first. This event was suggested by Alderman Derby and proved very interesting and laughable.

Later in the afternoon sides were chosen with G. C. Moore and E. A. Smith as captains, with both teams evenly matched. The result was:

Moore's team 112.
Smith's team 109.

The individual scores were as follows:

Henry Rule	10	9	10	7	6	6	7	7	9	.783
Henry Fletcher	6	6	6	9	10	7	6	7		.712
Chas. Frost	7	5	6	6	3					.600
F. McKitrick	6	8	3	6						.575
Mr. Morse								6	7	.550
Bert Currier	9	5	4	9	4	7	5			.611
Geo. C. Moore	5	5	9	3	6	8				.600
Elmer Lancey	6	6	5	3	8	6				.600
John Faulkner	5	6	5	5	6	4				.583
Frank McKitrick	6	8	3	6						.575
L. A. Colt	4	4	4	6	8	6	8			.571
Eddie Quaker	4	5	6	7						.550
Frank Putnam	8	4	5	6	4					.550
Dr. Downs	4	5	8	4						.525
E. A. Smith	5	4	5	6	4	7	5			.511
Henry Runels	5	4	5	6	5	4	6			.485
G. A. Gregg	5	4	6	2	6	3				.475
H. Lance	1	0	2	3	6					.250

NOTE TO POWERS

ON ACTS OF OPPRESSION IN MACEDONIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Aug. 14.—The Bulgarian government is preparing a memorandum to the powers, giving statistics of the acts of oppression by the Turkish officials in Macedonia since the institution of the reform program three months ago and other evidence in support of Bulgaria's belief in the hopelessness of expecting a good result from the Russo-Austrian reform plan.

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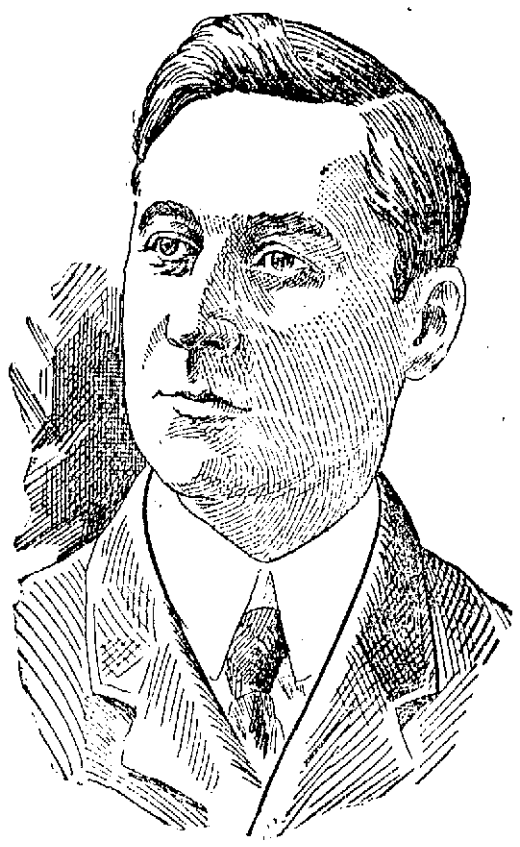

LIEUT. ROBERT J. CROWLEY.

Elected Commander of the Spanish War Vets

Robert J. Crowley of this city was elected corps commander of the Spanish War Veterans of this state at a convention held in Faneuil hall, Boston, last night.

Capt. M. J. Murray of Major Grady command of Boston presided over the convention and the national commander-in-chief, M. Emmet Crell of Washington, D. C., congratulated the state organization on the progress made since the organization was started.

Lieut. Robert J. Crowley of the Lowell command was nominated by Capt. Frank Dodge and was elected by acclamation. Then followed the election of subordinate officers and the result of the balloting was as follows:

Corps commander, Robert J. Crowley of General Ames Command, Lowell.

Senior vice commander, Capt. Michael J. Murphy of Maj. Grady Command, East Boston.

Junior vice commander, Wilson Brown, Henry Williams Command of Taunton.

Corps inspector, Capt. Barry, Lieut. Crane Command, Boston.

Medical inspector, T. F. Devlin, Major Grady Command, East Boston.

Chaplain, G. F. Brader of Henry Williams Command, Taunton.

Council of administration, Capt. William Fairweather of Gen. Ames Command, Lowell; M. J. Cashman of Maj. Grady Command, A. F. Hathaway of Henry Williams Command; G. F. Nickerson of Lieut. Crane Command.

Delegates to national encampment at New Haven, Conn., Sept. 28, 29, 30, 1903: Capt. Frank Dodge of Gen. Ames Command, Comrade Griger of Henry Williams Command, Capt. Michael Murphy of Maj. Grady Command, Comrade Bremen of Maj. Grady Command and Comrade Michael McLaughlin of Lieut. Crane Command. Alternates, 1st Lieut. Frank A. Boyle of Gen. Ames Command, J. C. Gibbons of Maj. Grady Command, J. A. Welch of Henry Williams Command and William H. Grady and Edwin Burke of Maj. Grady Command.

Corps Commander Robert J. Crowley, by virtue of his office, heads the list of delegates to the national encampment.

After the election the new officers were installed. Commander Crowley addressed the delegates and thanked them for the honor conferred on him and said that his every effort would be directed in the way of benefiting the organization. He asked for the co-operation of all the members in the state and assured them that the Massachusetts branch will be made second to none in the country.

Adjutant General Dyer of Washington and Capt. Frank Dodge of this city were among the speakers.

The delegates from Gen. Ames command of this city were: Capt. Frank Dodge, Capt. Fairweather, Capt. Philip McNulty, Lieut. Robert Crowley and Lieut. Frank Boyle.

Adjt. M. H. Harrington, Sergeant Ralph W. Clogston, Q. M. James Greig, Comrade Wm. Jelly and Sergt. of the Guard Hart of this city attended the convention.

FOX'S "FAIRIES"

Had Argument With Gormley's "Goats"

Fox's "Fairies" and Gormley's "Goats" had at it at Mountain Rock yesterday afternoon and the "Fairies" won.

It was a base ball game they attempted to play, and the event was pulled off in connection with the annual outing of Industry Council, R. A.

A large number of members and their lady friends attended and enjoyed the afternoon's sport which was followed by dancing in the evening.

The ball game score puzzled all, for at the close of the contest each side claimed the game and the prizes went to the umpire. Fox claimed victory by a score of 3 to 1, and Gormley said his side won 46 to 18. Here is the way the teams lined up:

Fox's Fairies—McKenna c, Sullivan 1b, H. Walker lf, Mower and Farrell ss, Richardson 3b, Murray 2b, Ford cf, Ivers lf.

Gormley's "Goats"—McDonald p, Campbell c, Rourke 1b, J. Walker 2b, Bonlger and Gormley ss, Looney 3b, Mehan rf, J. Rogers cf, and Mayo lf. Grand Regent T. P. Tierney of Cambridge umpired the game.

Dan Sullivan won the fat man's race and Matt McCann was the speedy one in the 100 yards' dash with Billy Looney second.

The events for ladies were pulled off in front of the pavilion. Three contestants showed up in the melon race, Mrs. A. W. Dadd taking first position, Mrs. Jessie Richardson winning a corner lot for taking second place and Miss Richardson coming in third.

This same trio entered the 100-yards' dash, Mrs. Richardson winning by a good margin, with Mrs. David second and Miss Richardson third.

Supper was served at 6 o'clock and afterwards there was dancing in the pavilion until 10 o'clock.

BISHOP HENDRICK

WAS A VISITOR AT THE VATICAN TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—The Rev. Thomas Hendrick, bishop of Cebu, Philippines, called at the vatican today and saw the officials of the congregation of the propaganda. He also paid visits to Cardinal Gibbons and Satolli. The bishop is accompanied by his brother, Father Joseph Hendrick. Both will assist at tomorrow's consecration of the Rev. J. J. Harty, as archbishop of Manila.

Miss Lulu G. Wright of North Pelham, N. H., is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Goodale of Davis square.

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WENT FAST MILE

Major Delmar Made 2.04 Mark

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Billy Buck Won the 2.12 Event

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Major Delmar's mile in 2:04 and Billy Buck's fast race in the 2:12 trot were the bright spots in the day's doings at the Empire City track.

Major Delmar's great mile was trotted in a successful effort to lower the 2:04¾ he made two weeks ago at Albany. That the bold going grandson of Electioneer will some time become a champion hardly admits of doubt. He is now three-quarters of a second behind the mark which makes The Abbot king of trotting geldings. Atta McDonald has brought the Major along slowly, and before his start yesterday had only trotted five miles faster than 2:10. He makes his next try for a record at Readville and over the parlor track of the Breeders' association he should trot a mile faster than New Englanders have ever seen.

The weather conditions yesterday were quite favorable for fast time, and the track was in better shape than before this week. McDonald sent his horse away very slowly, the quarter being reached at a 2:00 clip. Man and horse were in a hurry going out of the turn, and only one-quarter of a second more than a minute was used in trotting the middle half. The pace slackened down on the home stretch, as the great gelding faced the slight breeze.

Only Crescceus, Lou Dillon, The Abbot and Alix have trotted miles faster than this one.

Billy Buck's good race in the 2:12 trot shows that "Pa" Geers has a look in for the $20,000 Bonner memorial and the $15,000 Massachusetts purses. The first heat was in 2:07 1-4 and so close was it that Frances B., who finished fifth, was timed a shade better than 2:08. Billy Buck has not been beaten this year, and was, of course, made favorite over his field. Geers made one of his waiting drives in the first heat, came out of the rear ranks and then won with a brush down the stretch. At the distance flag he had overhauled Hawthorne and was going easy. Andrews brought Promise up like a runaway and to stall the black horse off Geers was forced to tap his pupil and rally him to get him home first. The mile in 2.07¼ is the winner's first appearance in the 2.10 list. That the mile was no scratch he demonstrated by taking the second heat, without an apparent effort, in 2.08¼.

Billy Buck cost Geers $2600 last fall, and he has already won six races for him. He is a fine-looking gelding and as good-gaited a trotter as one often sees.

Scott Hudson won a good race with the grandson of Onward, Nervolo beating the favorite, Joe Pointer. The latter did not act like a real high-class race horse, but at that the time was pretty fast, 2.05¾, 2.06¼, 2.06¼. Hudson laid Nervolo up the second heat, which was won by Sufreet, a daughter of Alcantara.

The Directum gelding, Judge Green, carried the money in the slow trot, and made the issue a brief one by winning in straigh heats.

Al Rock, a nice-looking black horse from Texas, whom Jack Curry is teaming, scured his second win of the week, beating the famous Mush in 2.08¼, 2.09.

1000 SPECIMENS

SECURED BY EXPEDITION SENT OUT FROM CALIFORNIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14. The first of a series of expeditions organized by the California Academy of Sciences in this city, which left here in April last to explore the islands of the Pacific coast, has just returned after a voyage extending over 4000 miles in the schooner Marie Sachs. About 1000 specimens of birds were secured, together with many valuable botanical specimens, while 20 gallons of alcohol were filled with snakes and lizards. The islands of Socorro, Clarion and the Revellagigede group were visited. An active volcano, 400 feet high was found on Socorro, while wild sheep abound on this island, and Gandaloup is over-run with goats.

LORD SALISBURY

ENJOYED A FAIRLY RESTFUL NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 14—Lord Salisbury passed a fairly restful night. There is no material change in his condition this morning, though Lord Robert Cecil says his father seems slightly stronger.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by Goodale's Drug Store. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Miss Susan F. McGarr of Highland avenue, Malden, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Harley on Crosby street.

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MITCHELL AND MARRON
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Including Minstrel First Part, End Songs and Ballads, Harmony Duets, Yodling and Imitations.
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Comedy, Sensational, Acrobatic Bicycle Act. The best in America and Europe.
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EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

IS SLOWLY DYING

A Sad Result of the Recent Explosion

Mrs. Esther Wilkinson, aged 43 years, wife of William Wilkinson, agent for the Provident Life Insurance company, is slowly dying and her condition is the sad result of the Riverside Park explosion.

Mrs. Wilkinson is now at 17 Anderson street though at the time of the explosion she lived at 60 Billerica street in the house owned by Thomas England, which was almost totally destroyed.

Her name has not appeared in the list of seriously injured, but she has been under the care of Dr. J. B. O'Connor since the day of the explosion.

The unfortunate woman's injuries are purely of a nervous and mental nature. Not a cut or bruise appears upon her body, but her nervous condition is such that she can eat nothing while her mind has become unsettled.

Her husband states that when lying in bed awake she is perfectly rational but when she closes her eyes to sleep she will suddenly start up and scream, "Oh, it is coming again." When the hallucination comes on it is with difficulty that she is calmed. At times she sees again the work of carrying away the victims from the ruins and her recollection of Mrs. Galloway is particularly vivid.

She seems to realize in her lucid moments that unless relief from her hallunications comes quickly that she will die. Mr. Wilkinson said that the relief committee was giving him aid and that everything was being done his wife that was possible.

Mrs Wilkinson had a narrow escape from instant death on the morning of the explosion. She was on the piazza in front of the house when the magazines blew up. The house fell in pieces around her and she remembers nothing until she found herself in the home of Joseph Stanley, further up Billerica street. Later on it was necessary to move her away from the scene of the explosion and she was taken to 17 Anderson street, where she now is. The couple have one daughter, 14 years of age, who was away from home at the time of the accident.

PHYSICIAN OFFERS SERVICES.

A local physician who did not care to have his name published has placed his services at the disposal of Rev. Mr. Wright, free of charge, day or night, for the sufferers and Mr. Wright gladly accepted the offer as there are quite a number among them who are ill or still suffering from their injuries.

CONTRIBUTION LIST.

The contribution list today is as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$13,152.98
Highland Council, R. A.	50.00
Post 120, G. A. R.	20.00
Total	$13,222.98
Boston contribution	1,075.00
Grand total	$14,297.98

The fund should at least reach $20,000 for while the amount in itself is large, when divided among a large number of people will not go very far.

HIGHLAND COUNCIL ACTS.

Highland council, R. A., held a largely attended meeting last evening. One new member was initiated and several applications were favorably acted upon. The council voted to give the sum of $50 towards the Relief fund to help the victims of the South Lowell catastrophe.

A letter of sympathy was also forwarded to Rochambeau council, R. A., on the sad bereavement of their late secretary, L. E. Richards, who met his death in the explosion at South Lowell.

Remarks were heard from several of the past officers, Brother Quinkilnberg of Dorchester council, Dorchester, Mass., spoke interestingly. Whist was enjoyed after adjournment.

SUCCESSFUL LAWN PARTY.

The lawn party given by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Blood at their home, 30 Nichols street, last evening, for the benefit of Mrs. Charles Moore, whose husband was killed in the explosion, was a grand success and netted a substantial sum. The crowd was far too large to be accommodated on the grounds and hence the street in the vicinity was crowded with revelers. A hurdy-gurdy rendered lively music and Gypsy Jane told many a fortune. The refeshment booths were liberally patronized. It is expected that about $250 was raised.

Contributions are acknowledged as follows:

The Bon Marche Dry Goods company, Dr. Medina and L. J. Greely, for use of automobiles; Robertson & Co., dishes; Derby & Morse, electric lighting; Lowell Electric Light company, use of power; D. L. Page C.; J. A. Evans; Harry Richardson; Charles Killpatrick; A. W. Dows & Co.; F. P. Moody; E. G. Crockett; C. B. Coburn; R. A. Griffiths; Brown's market; Leach's bakery; Brown's bakery; Salto Peanut company; F. A. Warr; H. H. Russell; H. B. Green, W. Killpatrick; Dickson Tea Store; Boyle Bros.; G. G. Reed; Donovan & Co.; A. Cruikshank; Frank Lovett; W. H. I. Hayes; Buckland Printing company.

The following served at the tables:

Lemonade, Misses Ida Blood and Sadie Arthur; Messrs. Albert Richardson and Philip Taisey.

Ice cream, Mrs. F. E. Johnson, Mr. Soule, Misses Flora and Emily Hatton.

Among others who assisted were Messrs. E. W. Dennett, John Smith, Ernest Caton and Walter Atwood.

Two officers were detailed by the police department to keep order and their services were valuable in keeping a passageway clear in the street for those who wished to enter the grounds.

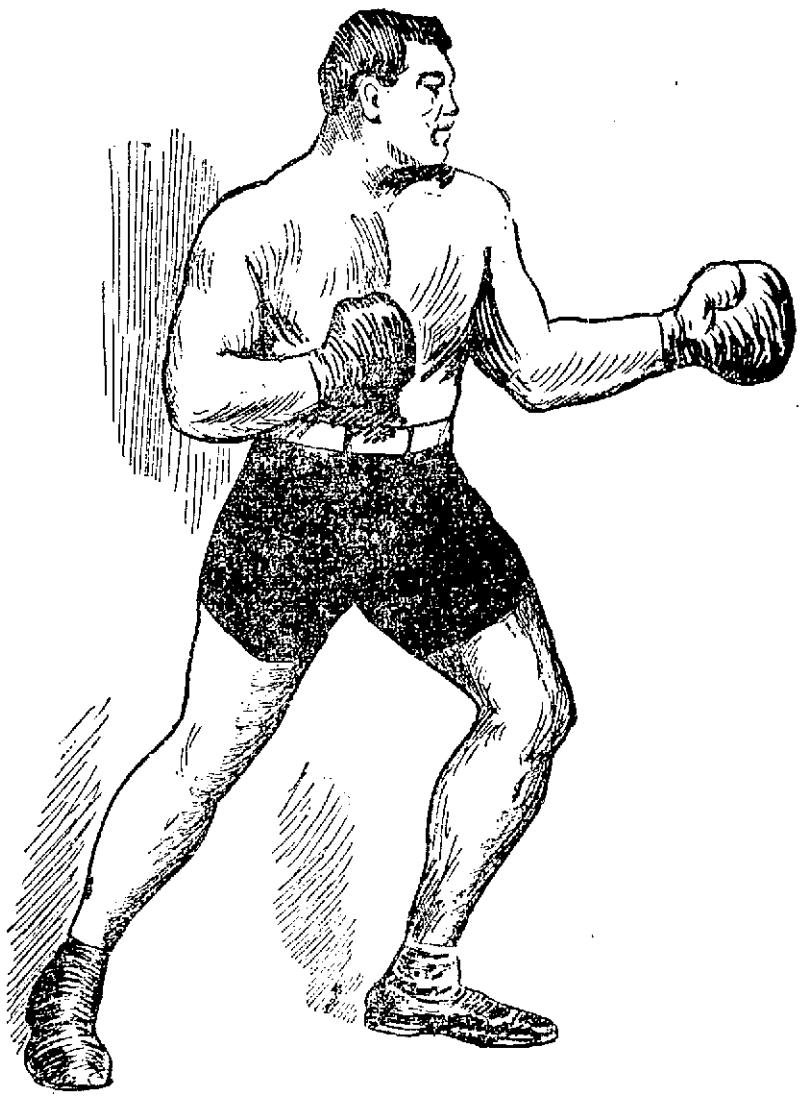
It is feared by the friends of Mrs. Moore that it will be necessary for her to receive hospital treatment. She has long been in poor health, and the terrible shock of the disaster has, of course, added to her suffering.

BROKEN WRIST

ACCIDENT TO JOHN POULIN THIS MORNING.

John Poulin, a stone mason residing at 129 Aiken street, while at work in the rear of the Lincoln school this morning was struck by a falling stone on the wrist, breaking the bone. He was removed in the ambulance to the Emergency hospital.

READY FOR BATTLE



JAMES J. JEFFRIES, CHAMPION OF THE WORLD, WHO BATTLES WITH JAMES J. CORBETT AT SAN FRANCISCO, TONIGHT.

Corbett and Jeffries are in Fine Condition

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—At no time in the city has there been more interest in a pugilist encounter than is now manifested regarding tonight's contest, between James J. Jeffries and James J. Corbett. Betting, however, has been comparatively light at the prevailing odds of 2 to 1 in the champion's favor.

The attendance promises to exceed twelve thousand and so rapidly have the tickets been sold, notwithstanding the big prices asked, that additional seats have been placed in the pavilion. When the time is called tonight there is not likely to be an unoccupied seat in view of the ring. Jeffries is at the Reliance club. He never looked more fit in his life. He slept until 10 yesterday morning and then disposed of a hearty breakfast.

"It's just a little work to keep limbered up for the big event," said Trainer Delany. "Jeffries will neither spar nor indulge in road work. He is as fast as he can be, his wind is perfect, his condition is the finest it was ever in his life, and if Corbett whips him he will be the wonder of the age. Jeffries himself figures that he will defeat Corbett in about ten rounds. In his opinion, the mill may go fifteen, but not more than that."

Jeffries is heavier than he has ever been at the close of training for any of his engagements and to the men who handle him this condition seems to be most pleasing.

When seen yesterday at his training quarters in Aladea, Corbett said:

"I would be willing to lose one of my arms if I can defeat Jeffries." He added:

"I know that Jeffries is a big rough fellow, but nothing can discourage me. If the betting were 100 to 1 in favor of Jeffries, it would make no difference. I have been doing everything that mortal man could do for the last fifteen months to get into condition for the fight and now that I have about finished my work, I am satisfied. I am fit to make the fight of my life tonight and if I don't win I never could or never can win against the man. Win or lose, I will say the same thing after the fight that I say now—I like the job I am about to go up against and will do my best to come out the victor."

CORBETT PEOPLE

LOOKING FOR ODDS OF 10 TO 4.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Public interest now centers on the fight tonight between James J. Corbett and James J. Jeffries. While both men have a large following, very little money is being placed. Jeffries still rules at 2 to 1 favorite and Corbett people expect to see the odds go 10 to 4. Both men will enter the ring in fine condition and both confident of victory.

Speaking of his chances, Jeffries said today that he does not feel that his championship is in danger, although he is not disposed to hold Corbett cheaply. "I am well pleased with my condition," he said. "I am not going to make a forecast as to how long the fight will last. It will not last any longer than I can help."

Corbett said: "I am feeling in perfect condition and am gratified to learn that Jeffries is thoroughly satisfied with himself. I am confident of my ability to regain the championship."

These expressions by the men themselves about voice the sentiments of those who have trained the big fighters. Corbett will be seconded in the ring by Tommy Ryan, Prof. Dare, Hank Kenny, Tom Corbett and Sam Bergen. The fighters will divide seventy per cent. of the gross receipts of which 75 per cent will go to the victor and 25 per cent. to the loser.

CHAMPION JAMES J. JEFFRIES.

Born at Carroll, O., 1875; profession, boilermaker; height, 6 feet 1½ inches; will fight close to 235 pounds.

189—July 2, knocked out Dan Long	2 rds.
1897—April 9, knocked out T. Van Buskirk	2 rds.
1897—May 15, knocked out Henry Baker	2 rds.
1897—July 16, draw with Gus Ruhlin	20 rds.
1897—Nov. 20, draw with Joe Choynski	20 rds.
1898—Feb. 28, bested Joe Goddard	4 rds.
*1898—March 22, knocked out Peter Jackson	3 rds.
189—April 22, beat Mexican Pete Everett	3 rds.
1898—May 6, decision over Tom Sharkey	20 rds.
**1898—Aug. 5, decision over Bob Armstrong	10 rds.
1899—June 9, knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons, world's championship	11 rds.
***1899—Nov. 3, decision over Tom Sharkey, world's championship	25 rds.
1900—April 6, knocked out Jack Finnigan	1 rd.
1900—May 1, knocked out Jim Corbett, world's championship	23 rds.
1901—Sept. 17, decision over Hank Griffin	4 rds.
1901—Sept. 24, knocked out Joe Kennedy	2 rds.
1901—Nov. 15, knocked out Gus Ruhlin for world's championship	5 rds.
1902—July 25, knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons for world's championship	3 rds.
1902—Lost decision to Jack Munroe	4 rds.

*Jackson a physical wreck.

**Jeffries undertook to stop Bob Armstrong and Steve O'Donnell, each in 10 rounds. Armstrong went the 10 rounds but the decision was given to Jeffries and he then refused to go on with Steve O'Donnell.

***This was a wrong and very bad decision and was alleged to have been a job. The very award Sharkey should have had was a draw.

EX-CHAMPION JAMES J. CORBETT.

Born at San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 1, 1866; profession, bank clerk; height, 6 feet 1 inch; will fight close to 198 pounds.

1887—Draw with Jack Burke, the Irish Boy	8 rds.
1890—Draw with Frank Glover	3 rds.
1890—Won from Joe Choynski	4 rds.
1891—Knocked out Joe Choynski	27 rds.
1891—Draw with Dave Campbell	10 rds.
1892—Beat Jake Kilrain	6 rds.
1892—Beat Dominick McCaffrey	4 rds.
1892—Beat Pat Kinney	4 rds.
**1894—Draw with Peter Jackson	61 rds.
1894—Beat Bull Spillings	1 rd.
1894—Beat Bob Caffrey	1 rd.
1894—Sept. 7, knocked out John L. Sullivan for world's championship	21 rds.
1894—Jan. 25, knocked out Charley Mitchell for world's championship	3 rds.
1894—Sept. 7, knocked out Peter Courtney	6 rds.
1895—June, draw, Tom Sharkey	4 rds.
1897—March 17, lost to Bob Fitzsimmons for world's championship	14 rds.
***1898—Lost on foul, Tom Sharkey	9 rds.
****1900—June, knocked out by Jim Jeffries for world's championship	23 rds.
1900—Aug. 20, knocked out Kid McCoy	5 rds.

*This was fight to a finish.

**Corbett, who was but a novice, had better of bout, and to save money wagered and in club's interest the referee declared it no fight. They afterwards gave half the purse, divided between the men.

***This was a job, Corbett being made believe he would win, and was not in condition. In ninth round, when it looked bad for Corbett, his second, McVey, climbed in ring and the contestant was given the verdict. To save the innocent public Referee Honest John Kelly declared all bets off.

****Corbett had all the better of the contest until the knockout came.

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COLONEL RICE

Retired From Army With Higher Honors

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 14.—Col. Edmund Rice, 19th infantry, was yesterday appointed brigadier-general in the army and placed on the retired list.

Edmund Rice was born in Cambridge Dec. 2, 1842. He spent two years at Norwich university, Northfield, Vt., and then took up the study of navigation and engineering and made a voyage around the world. He returned to Massachusetts at the outbreak of the civil war and enlisted at the age of 19. He was captain in the first 14th Massachusetts volunteers from April 27, 1861, until it was disbanded in June and for a few days was captain in the 29th Massachusetts. July 25, 1861, he joined the 19th Massachusetts volunteers as captain and rose to colonel. He was wounded twice at the battle of Gettysburg and presented with a medal of honor by congress for leading the advance of his regiment and the 42nd New York in the charge made to close the gap in the Union line and repel Pickett's assault. In this engagement the 19th Massachusetts captured four stands of colors and lost over half its men.

After the war he was commissioned first lieutenant in the regular army. In 1868 he was detailed on duty at the Springfield armory, making models of the Rice trowel bayonets. In 1875 he was in command of the military prison at Fort Leavenworth. Later he fought the Sioux on the Yellowstone river, Mont. He was commandant at the World's Columbian Exposition and organized and commanded the Columbian guard. In 1896 he went to Tokio as military attache.

On the breaking out of the Spanish war he applied to be relieved and joined the headquarters of the army in Porto Rico. He succeeded Colonel Charles F. Woodward of Wakefield as colonel of the 6th Massachusetts infantry. On July 5, 1899, he was appointed colonel of the 26th regiment of infantry, which was recruited largely from New England, at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y. The regiment also had many Massachusetts officers, among them being Maj. Thomas Talbot, then captain and now chairman of the Republican state committee; Fred McDonald of Charlestown and Quartermaster Wonson of Gloucester. The regiment marched through Boston on its way to the Philippines Sept. 6, 1899. Since his return he has served at various military posts in this country.

Col. Rice has invented several equipment devices which have been adopted by the government and his wife was recently allowed $100,000 by the court of claims for the use the government has made of a patent tent he designed and made over to her.

HIS HEALTH POOR

Governor Asked to Pardon Logue

Mr. John H. Cover called at the police station yesterday and asked to know what was being done in an attempt to pardon Thomas P. Logue, one of the two men who, for murderous assault upon him were, in 1899, sentenced to life imprisonment.

A petition has been circulated asking the governor to pardon Logue owing to the latter's poor health.

It is understood that Mr. Cover is opposed to Logue's pardon except the latter is at the point of death. Mr. Cover believes him to be a thoroughly bad man and dangerous to be at large, unless physically disabled.

QUICKLY SETTLED

TROUBLE AT HARNEY BROS. FACTORY ENDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 14.—The trouble at Harney Bros.' shoe factory was settled yesterday afternoon.

The firm has met the demand of the men and women that several employes who were hired during the long strike be discharged, and as this was the only cause for the leaving of the other 300 employes all will return.

Miss Ethel Hanson leaves Saturday for Hampton beach where she will remain the remainder of the season.

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500 Pairs Ladies' Goodyear Welt Shoes, kid and patent tip at **$1.45,** worth $2.50.

400 Pairs Men's Vici Kid, Goodyear Welt Shoes, **$1.48,** worth $2.00 and $2.25.

300 Pairs Little Gents' Spring Heel Shoes, sizes 8 to 13½ at **49c,** worth $1.00.

300 Pairs Men's Satin Calf Bals at **95c,** worth $1.50.

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FINANCIAL BILL

Republicans Want One Agreeable to Democrats

By Associated Press to The Sun

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 13—President Roosevelt's conference with the members of the sub-committee of the senate finance committee was not concluded until the small hours of the morning. The whole subject of financial legislation at the approaching session of congress was discussed thoroughly.

The committee, consisting of Senators Aldrich, chairman; Platt (Conn.), Allison and Spooner, did not present even a tentative draft of a currency bill to the president, although some propositions which subsequently may be embodied in the measure were reduced to concrete form. No definite conclusions as to the shape of the proposed legislation were reached. The conference related more to methods of procedure in the work at hand than to the form of legislation. At 7.30 o'clock this morning the members of the committee left Sagamore Hill, boarded their yacht, the Vergenia, and sailed for Providence on their return to Senator Aldrich's home.

One fact of distinct importance was developed at the conference. While an extraordinary session of congress this fall is assured, it has not been determined definitely whether it will be called in October or November. It has been supposed that the extraordinary session would convene on November 9, but the indications now are that it will be called for an earlier date, perhaps several weeks earlier. The primary purpose of the extraordinary session will be to enact legislation making operative the Cuban reciprocity treaty, but financial legislation also will be pressed upon the attention of congress soon after it convenes.

It can be said that the senate finance committee will draft no measure formally and conclusively until consultations have been held with the members of the senate—democrats as well as republicans—with members of the house and with the leading authorities on finance in the country. It is the desire of the committee to be constantly in touch with the president, with other members of the house and with bankers, so that some plan of legislation may be formulated by the opening of the extraordinary session of congress.

It is the hope of the committee to devise a genuinely elastic currency system—a system which will expand when the necessity arises and contract when the necessity shall have ceased to exist. The members of the committee realize fully the difficulty of their work, but it is their desire to prepare a measure that will commend itself to the best judgment of the country, the judgment of democrats as well as republicans.

To this end it can be said all schemes of financial legislation heretofore proposed have been subordinated. What the proposed legislation will be when it is introduced cannot be said at this time. Suggestions which have been made are regarded by the committee as purely tentative, because differences of opinion exist between members of the senate and members of the house which must be resolved before a definite plan for currency legislation can be made with reasonable hope that it will crystallize into law.

Senator Aldrich, when asked by an Associated Press representative with reference to the visit of the senators to the president, said:

"The representatives of the sub-committee of the senate finance committee who recently met for an informal conference at Warwick, R. I., talked with the president about financial conditions and the trend of legislative changes. No bill has been drafted or agreed upon and none will be until after the fullest consultations with our democratic associates of the sub-committee and all the members of the finance committee. It is, however, our purpose to have a bill in readiness for presentation to the senate at the beginning of the extra session if one is called in October or November. We are hopeful that a bill can be agreed upon and reported that will receive the approval of both houses of congress and afford prompt and effectual relief to the business interests of the whole country."

HELD PRISONER

Mob of Italians Enraged at Their Foreman

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 13—For several hours today Wilbur Edwards, foreman of excavation work at the River Works of the General Electric company here, was held a prisoner in a tower 20 feet high by 350 excited Italian laborers on strike. Edwards was obliged to climb the tower at 11 o'clock this forenoon and at 2 p. m. was still a prisoner, notwithstanding the peaceful efforts of 12 policemen to rescue him.

The workmen had been digging trenches having a total length of 750 feet. During the forenoon Foreman Edwards ordered a man to leave his wheelbarrow for some cause and discharged him on the spot. The man yelled along the line of trenches as soon as he received the peremptory order to leave and with one accord 350 men dropped their tools and made a rush for Edwards. The latter becoming thoroughly alarmed hastened to a running tower, 20 feet high, which he ascended with the agility of a cat.

The infuriated laborers made a menacing demonstration at the base of the tower, but did not shoot, as any person with firearms could easily have done, at Edwards.

The Lynn police were called on for assistance. Twelve officers were dispatched to the scene in haste and endeavored to persuade the angry Italians to disperse and allow the foreman to descend. The strikers protested against being driven from the ground, declaring that they would not leave until they had been paid.

The Italians were told by the officers that they could not be given their money until Mr. Edwards came down out of the tower as he has charge of the time sheets. Considerable parleying was in progress part of the afternoon. The police did not care to use force against the Italians as no actual violence had been committed. They feared that if an attempt was made to eject the men from the premises a clash would ensue which might have serious results.

At 2 o'clock efforts were still being made to induce the Italians to permit their foreman to descend from his place of refuge.

A further detail of police appeared and then the works were cleared. The strikers, after listening to harangues from fellow workmen in their own language, retired before the advancing line of police, persuaded that their money would be paid to them tomorrow. They disappeared from the yard, though the foreman did not quit the running tower until the police assured him there was not an Italian within a mile of the place.

The work on the excavation is tied up until the men decide to return to work or another gang is hired.

BOAT CAPSIZED

Two Men Lost Their Lives

By Associated Press to The Sun

PASCOAG, R. I., Aug. 13.—James Huber, 40 years of age and Robert Hatten, 33, both of Central Falls, were drowned today in Wallum pond, near the site of the state sanitarium. The men, who were guests at the Line Rock club house, started out early this morning in two boats on a fishing expedition to the farther end of the pond. Hatten's boat was capsized and he was thrown into the water.

His cries for help were answered by Huber, who, although unable to swim, jumped overboard to the rescue. Both men were drowned before assistance reached them from shore. The bodies were recovered at noon.

Huber is survived by a widow, and Hatten by a widow and two children.

CASHIER WILSON

PLACED UNDER ARREST ON FUGITIVE WARRANT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13—John M. Wilson, cashier of the cafe at the Continental hotel, this city, was arrested today on a fugitive warrant from Boston charging him with the larceny of $1800 from the firm of Timothy Smith & Co., dry goods merchants of that city. There are 13 indictments against Wilson. He admitted his identity and was held to await requisition papers.

CARS COLLIDED

SEVERAL OF THE PASSENGERS WERE INJURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 13 Two street cars on the Lakewood line of the Jamestown street railway collided today. S. L. Hamilton of Fredonia, N. Y., was seriously cut about the back and hips. Miss Minnie Lawson had her nose fractured and Mrs. Axel Lawson of this city had one of her ribs broken. The motorman escaped by jumping. There was heavy fog at the time and the tracks were so wet that the cars could not be stopped. All of the injured will recover.

GIRLS INJURED

IN EXPLOSION AT THE U. S. ARSENAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—An explosion yesterday at the United States arsenal at Frankford, a suburb, caused a panic, in which four girls were severely injured.

The girls, Bessie Mills, Anna Little, Pauline Brarson, Florence Foster, with about seventy-five other employes, became panic-stricken. Many of them leaped from the windows down a fifteen foot embankment. The explosion was caused by a friction spark igniting in a quantity of black powder. The building was only slightly damaged.

COREY RESIGNED

AS PRESIDENT OF THE CARNEGIE COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 13.—At a meeting of the Carnegie Steel company held here today, the resignation of W. E. Corey, as president was accepted, and A. C. Dinckley, elected to fill the vacancy. The office of chairman of board of directors was created and Judge James H. Reed elected. The new president appointed A. R. Hunt, general superintendent of the Homestead Steel works and H. D. William, general superintendent of the Duquesne plant.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00; sales 1297 bales.

MINISTER DISMISSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 13 Riza Pasha, the minister of war, has been dismissed. The exile of Monastir has been exiled to Tripoli.

ELOPER'S DEATH

WAS THE RESULT OF AN ACCIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—As a result of the inquest into the death of Mrs. Mary Wolden, held yesterday in Waldwick, N. J., Albert Clark was released.

Clark had run away with Mrs. Wolden, who had quarreled with her husband, and was suspected of having thrown her in front of a train Aug. 7 while they were walking from New York to their former home.

Clark laughed while testifying. The jury found the woman was killed by accident.

BADLY DAMAGED

CUTTER YACHT WENONAH WAS IN COLLISION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 13.—The cutter yacht Wenonah, owned by Samuel L. Roosevelt of New York, arrived here today in a badly damaged condition, having been in collision during last night with the fishing steamer Falcon off Faulkner's Island. The vessels met bow on and the cutter being the lighter craft, suffered the more damage, the steamer having no injury to her hull. The Wenonah's bow was crushed in above the water line and her rigging carried away. Immediately after the crash the Wenonah took fire but the crew quickly extinguished the flames. Several persons on the cutter were more or less burned.

WM. E. DODGE BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The funeral of the late William Earl Dodge, who died at Bar Harbor last Sunday, was held today in the Riverside Presbyterian church. Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of Union Theological seminary and Rev. Dr. A. Woodruff Halsey officiating. The interment took place in Woodlawn cemetery.

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CHINESE TROOPS DEFEATED BY REBELS

By Associated Press to The Sun

HONG KONG, AUG. 13.—THE CHINESE IMPERIAL TROOPS HAVE BEEN DEFEATED BY REBELS AT HWE CHOU FU IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCE OF KWANG TUNG. IMPERIAL REINFORCEMENTS CONSISTING OF 3000 GERMAN DRILLED TROOPS HAVE ARRIVED AT CANTON.

SHOE STRIKE ON

Harney Bros. of Lynn in Trouble

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 13. The shoe strike war broke out again this morning when the 80 girls employed at Harney Brothers' shoe factory in the stitching room struck this morning and the 40 cutters employed came out in sympathy with them. The strikers, who are members of the Knights of Labor, with whom the firm made a settlement two months ago after throwing out the union stamp of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union against which the Knights of Labor struck in January, explain that the forewoman of the stitching room has hired help obnoxious to the girls and that this reached a climax today when she put on a Hebrew male stitcher named Strauss, a Boot & Shoe Workers' union man, who was the victim of a street assault in the early days of the strike. Another male stitcher made remarks of an insulting character to one of the girls and the strike followed, the cutters quitting in sympathy. Since discarding the union stamp the firm has run a free shop.

TERRIFIC STORM

NEARLY FOUR INCHES OF RAIN FELL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 13.—A terrific rain storm prevailed in western Missouri and in eastern and Central Kansas last night. All streams rose rapidly, tracks were washed out and one or two bridges damaged. Nearly four inches of water fell in central Kansas.

CLOSING ARGUMENT

IN THE CASE OF JETT AND WHITE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 13.—In the case of Jett and White, Judge L. H. Fryer, commonwealth's attorney, today made the closing argument. Judge Fryer said to the jury that if they turned these men loose they might as well go home and let anarchy and assassins reign. The case went to the jury at 10:46 a. m.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 13—Exchanges $22,013,163. Balances $1,256,195.

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HE SCORED LYNCH

Driscoll Gets After Typo President

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The International Typographical Union convention today was addressed by Frederick Driscoll, commissioner of the Newspaper Publishers association, who criticised President Lynch and the union for their conduct in the printers' strike at Seattle and Spokane. He said:

"If arbitration had been adhered to according to the obligations of our agreements there would have been no strike or disturbance of our friendly relations."

His address was received with applause and referred to the committee on arbitration.

President Lynch said that when the committee reported he would make a statement in which he hoped to show that the merits of the controversy were not all on one side.

Martin P. Hinkley, president of the International Printing Pressmen's association; Corliss P. Lovelace, president of the Boot & Shoe Makers' union, and Mr. Campbell of the Textile Workers of Philadelphia also addressed the convention.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor spoke to the convention of the organization of the employers and said that it was welcome as leading to promote conciliation and harmony with the least possible amount of disturbance, yet he contended that there is no element in these organizations which fails utterly to understand the principles of unionism and which the law compelles to injuriously affect the best interests of all. He declared that no effort to destroy unionism could succeed and said that the trouble on the side of employers can be compared only to Herr Most. "Parasites and its parasites" said he, "is the most fit possible tribute to our movement."

The convention adopted an amendment to the by-laws providing that when requested a representative of the Newspaper Publishers' association or the United Typothetae shall be heard on important changes in the laws affecting their interests.

DOHERTY BEAT CLOTHIER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTHAMPTON, L. I., Aug. 13.—H. L. Doherty beat W. J. Clothier of Harvard and Philadelphia in the first set of the match for the finals of the Meadow club tournament, 6-1. Larned won the unfinished semi-final bracket, defeating A. Torrance, 6-3, 6-2.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Noon—Money on call nominal at 1 and 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½ and 6.

Exchanges $173,744,112.
Balances $8,062,641.

OLD HOME WEEK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELFAST, Me., Aug. 13. The Belfast old home week exercises concluded today with the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the city's charter. A big civic and trades parade was followed by yacht races, games and a reception, tendered by the ladies' improvement society. A display of fireworks and band concert are the evening attractions.

From Late Editions Yesterday

RICHARD OLNEY

May Preside at State Convention

The name of Richard Olney is to come up for consideration as the chairman of the next democratic convention, and it is practically certain that if he be willing, his name will be agreed upon.

No definite steps have been taken toward sounding him out, and none will be until the executive committee of the state committee holds its meeting late in August. Olney's name will be considered.

A year ago Olney spoke at a big banquet meeting, and it is thought he could be prevailed upon to come out more prominently into active politics. He is in harmony with the management of democratic affairs as now guided.

The time is drawing near when the sub-committee of the state committee will get down to the real work of fixing upon a chairman and the committee on resolutions. The republicans have already made their choice. Already the field is being canvassed for available men who can be considered as "heavy" enough to preside and to make up the resolutions committee.

Congressman Thayer is eliminated as a possibility for chairman, because of his radical position on the new corporation law. Congressman McNary is out of consideration, because he is chairman of the state committee. Congressman Keliher's contest with Conry bars him, while Congressman Sullivan is not believed to be sufficiently well known.

Much weight will be given the wishes of some leaders to give the honor to the western part of the state, that is, if Olney refuses to allow his name to be considered. It is probable that some will urge Mayor Collins, but, aside from Olney or Collins, the choice will probably go outside. Boston.

The selection of Mayor Collins comes from the belief that it will bring him out for his own campaign next on. Common friends anyone from taking the stump. In wrestling, it is thought the mayor could make one demonstration and then hold himself in the background, while the organization run the campaign.

DEATHS

STANLEY—Jabez Stanley, of 7 Bagley avenue, died suddenly while on his vacation at Truro, Mass. He leaves, besides a wife and daughter, two brothers, James and David Stanley of this city. Deceased was 62 years of age and had been employed for the last ten years at C. I. Hood & Co.'s.

FUNERALS

WELCH—The remains of the late Edward Welch were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the funeral parlors of Charles H. Molloy in Market street at 8:30 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased, including a number of people from out of town.

The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Moore street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., pastor of the church. There was appropriate singing during the service by the church choir.

The bearers were Messrs. Dennis and John Riordan, John Harrington, William Ryan, Owen Maun and Richard Welch.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Nate H. Lewis and Mrs. Mae E. Phillips were married at the parsonage of Rev. D. A. Gannon at Twin Mountains, N. H., on Aug. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will remain at the White Mountains during the summer months where Mr. Lewis is engaged playing in the orchestra at the Mt. Washington hotel.

SEARCHING FOR BODY.

Despite the fact that Undertaker Molloy and his assistants are making a diligent search for the body of Little Johnny Lyman, who was drowned in the Prescott canal Monday afternoon, no trace of the body has been found. There is little doubt that his body is in the river, and a search is being made from the raceway at the Boot mills to Giant's falls.

LIFE IN THE WOODS.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry C. Speed, pastor of the Baptist church in Monson, Me., and formerly of Lowell, accompanied by Miss Florence Miller of Los Angeles, Cal., and a gentleman friend and his wife, recently went by carriage northward from Monson for a distance of 15 miles. The party then walked further into the Maine wilderness for an additional miles, until they reached Lake Schoe, where the quintet are now enjoying gypsy life of the lake and woods.

ALTERING THE STORE.

Workmen started this morning on the alterations to be made in the front of the Odiorne & Gilfoile department store at the corner of Merrimack and Palmer streets.

Miss Ruth Moulton, clerk at A. G. Pollard & Co.'s, is ill at her home, 95 School street.

Miss Azalea Snow of 80 School street is confined to her home with a serious illness.

Employes of the street department are relaying the brick sidewalk in Dutton street, near the corner of Market.

James Hancock, John J. Dolan and Joseph E. McVey will spend the next two weeks at Old Orchard beach.

CRUISER CHICAGO SIGHTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13. The United States cruiser Chicago, returning from Lisbon, was sighted off the Sandy Hook bar at 1.27 this afternoon bound in.

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THE MOB SPIRIT

Discussed by D. M. Parry at Chatauqua

A RELIC OF THE BARBAROUS STAGE

Special Reference to Organized Labor

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHATAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 13.—D. M. Parry, president of the National association of manufacturers, spoke as follows at Chautauqua, N. Y., today, on the subject of "Mob Spirit in Organized Labor."

"Mob spirit is a relic of the barbarous stage of the human development. It dates back to the time when the race relied upon the purely physical for maintenance. In this sense it is a hatred or contempt for all regulations of government and an attempt by the vicious and ignorant to impress their will upon others by the exercise of physical force.

"Mobs may be spontaneous in growth or their formation may extend over a long period. They may be poorly organized or they may be under good discipline. In this country in the last year there have been many mobs of different kinds but to my mind the most dangerous of them all is the mob of organized labor. No man, I take it, can object to any kind of an association, labor or otherwise, which is organized for lawful and beneficent purposes but organized labor as it is conducted today stands convicted by its own leaders as a lawless organization.

"In that it seeks by physical force to override individual rights and is continually railing against the laws and denouncing courts and public officials for enforcing these laws, it fulfills all the requirements of the definition of mobocracy. Unlike the lynching bees and the vigilance committee it is what might be termed a standing mob under fair discipline by its officers and ready upon occasion to commit the overt acts of outrage and destruction. It asserts that the individual has no inherent rights that cannot be taken from him and that therefore it has the right to say that no man shall work and that no industry shall run without its consent.

"In its attempt to compel recognition of its pretentions to sovereignty it relies not on reason, but upon coercion, intimidation and the bludgeon. In its continual preachments against law and its constant appeal to the baser passions of men, it is doing more than any other agency to inculcate the mob spirit and to encourage the unfurling of the red flag of anarchy.

"The president of the Chicago Federation of Labor recently declared in an interview: 'The president deals a death blow to organized labor when he declares that he cannot discriminate in its favor. It sounds fair on the face of it, but without discrimination we are just where we started. We have been fighting for union to the exclusion of all other.'

"These are words of a conservative among union leaders and they voice the sentiment of the agitators the country over.

"During the last year, the attempts to force men to give allegiance to strike bosses in their plans to set up an oligarchy that will control industry in each of the laws of the country, have resulted in mob conditions in many of the leading centers. Supremacy of law and order has sustained not only many severe shocks but the nation has also lost millions of dollars by the idleness of thousands of men. This loss must fall heavier upon the man who depends upon his daily wage than upon those who have something to fall back upon. It is time that the workmen of this country were learning that for the millions of dollars they pay in salaries to the agitators, they are receiving in return nothing but ceaseless trouble, enforced idleness and loss of the comforts of life. They are also bidding for the destruction of their most precious possession—that of industrial liberty. Their investments in monocracy are simply poor investments."

SURVEYOR KILLED

WHILE AT WORK ON THE N. Y. CENTRAL TRACKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—David J. Pierce of Port Jervis, N. Y., while surveying the new tracks of the New York Central at University Heights, was struck by a train and almost instantly killed yesterday.

The young man was with H. D. Jouett and R. M. Whitcomb. Jouett saw the train coming and called to Whitcomb. Whitcomb yelled to Pierce, and thought he saw him moving away. The next instant Pierce's arm flew past Whitcomb's shoulder and Pierce's body came tumbling along beside the tracks of the train.

THE CABLE HUT

WAS DESTROYED BY THE HURRICANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. THOMAS, W. I., Aug. 13—The hurricane on Wednesday demolished the cable hut, land lines and office at Holland Bay, Jamaica, the landing place of the Porto Rico cables. Communication was restored by rejoining the cables on the beach, an operation of great difficulty.

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IRISH LAND BILL

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By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, AUG. 13.—THE HOUSE OF LORDS TODAY AGREED TO THE IRISH LAND BILL IN THE FORM FINALLY APPROVED BY THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS YESTERDAY ACCEPTED ALL THE AMENDMENTS SAVE TWO UNIMPORTANT ONES, ADDED TO THE BILL BY THE LORDS.

THE MEASURE NOW ONLY A WAITS THE ROYAL ASSENT TO BECOME LAW.

SALISBURY IS ILL

Late British Premier Greatly Exhausted

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Lord Salisbury is seriously indisposed according to information received direct from his family at Hatfield house.

The late premier is greatly exhausted and physicians are in attendance.

HURRICANE WARNINGS

THE TROPICAL STORM MAY MOVE NORTHWARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The local weather bureau has received the following from Washington:

Observer,
New York.

11 a. m.—Hurricane warnings are continued from Mobile to Dunnellen. Tropical storm apparently central over southeast gulf and will probably move northward over the gulf. Considered dangerous for vessels of all classes over middle and east gulf today and tonight.

(Signed) GARRIOTT.

COBB'S STATEMENT

REMOVED ARCHITECT COMMENTS ON SHAW'S STATEMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—Henry Ives Cobb, who was removed from the office of special architect of the Chicago federal building, made the following statement today:

"I was appointed as 'special architect under a special act of congress and served Secretaries Carlisle and Gage. As to the rupture between Secretary Shaw and myself, I have only to say that his methods do not conform with my ideas and it is better that he should work with one with less professional reputation at stake."

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET—10.10 a. m.—Opening prices advanced vigorously all around on a large volume of well distributed buying orders. Gains reached a point in Southern Railway, Baltimore & Ohio, Texas Pacific, General Electric, Rock Island and Union Pacific opened wide. There were 4500 shares of Rock Island sold 24¾ to 24½, compared with 23⅞ last night and 2500 shares of Union Pacific sold at 72¾ and 73 ¼, compared with 72 last night. A decline of a point in Republic Steel preferred was the only loss recorded.

WALL STREET—11 a. m.—There was an appearance of profit taking among some of the grangers, Pacific and the United States Steel stocks but without much effect on their prices as the market as a whole rose strongly on the most animated buying seen for many weeks. The active list rose generally from 1@2 points over last night. Urgent bidding for Reading carried the price up 4⅞. Amongst the specialties New York Air Brake jumped 6½, General Electric 5½, Consolidated Gas 4½ and American Linseed 3½. Lackawanna dropped 6, but rallied 3. There were some slight recessions before the end of the hour and the market quieted slightly.

Noon—The tide of buying turned into the western stocks and St. Paul and Illinois Central were rushed up 3½, Missouri Pacific 2⅞, Amalgamated 2⅝, Chicago & Eastern Illinois certificate 5¼, Toledo, St. Louis & Western pfd. 3 and Union Pacific, Rock Island, Louisville, Wabash and Atchison 2 or over.

Profit taking in Reading under cover of the shift in the buying was detected and prices ran off. Reading and St. Paul yielding 1¾ and Rock Island and Illinois Central a point.

Bonds were strong.

1 p. m.—Offerings of stocks fell away to nominal proportions at the lower prices and the market steadied and became dull. At the end of the hour Reading was rushed up again to 56¾ and the whole market responded. Brooklyn Union Gas jumped 15 points on one transaction.

2 p. m.—Reading touched 57¼ and then rose a fraction higher than before, and Baltimore & Ohio, Ontario & Western, Northwestern and Manhattan had 2 to 2½ points gain. Response elsewhere was less general and a moderate action followed. Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis pfd. fell a point under last night. Irregular fluctuations followed.

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CAPTAIN EMORY

Reports on Accident to Massachusetts

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Official information regarding the accident to the Massachusetts off Rockland, Me., yesterday afternoon, has reached the navy department in two telegrams from Captain W. H. Emory, commanding the battleship Indiana, who is the senior officer present. The department will instruct Captain Emory to stand by the Massachusetts with the Indiana and probably several other vessels until further details of the damage done can be learned. Officials of the department with the facts in their possession are unwilling to discuss the extent of the damage but it is clearly their opinion that the Massachusetts must be repaired at once. This will be done either at Boston or New York.

The first despatch from Capt. Emery, timed 6 p. m., was:

"Massachusetts touched on Egg Rock shoals, going out in thick fog. Compartment A-7, A 97, A-42 filled with water. Leaks limited to these compartments. Massachusetts steamed back herself to Bar Harbor and anchored, the Massachusetts signalled for assistance. Indiana, Scorpion and three torpedo boat destroyers answered signals and accompanied Massachusetts to Frenchman's bay, western anchorage. The destroyers then proceeded without communicating with me. Indiana and Scorpion now anchored alongside Massachusetts. Divers now ascertaining extent damage. When finished will be immediately telegraphed. Damage appears to be entirely confined to compartments named. Request instruction regarding disposition vessel. Request navy department to inform commander-in-chief at first opportunity. Board ordered to investigate damage. Will forward soon as made."

The second despatch sent five hours later was:

"Investigation of injury to Massachusetts cannot be completed until tomorrow, by which time all weight will be removed from forward water confined to compartments previously telegraphed. Feel confident Massachusetts will be able to steam to dock yard. Draft of vessel when leaving Frenchman's bay, 26 feet, 3 inches forward, 26 feet, 10 inches aft. Draft at 6 p. m., 27 feet, 11 inches forward, 26 feet, 2 inches aft.

"Request orders concerning Indiana and Scorpion as they are remaining by orders, standing by Massachusetts. Other vessels here Hartford, Newport, Onlogon, Lebanon. If we are not required to convoy Massachusetts, request to sail immediately to join fleet."

HELD FOR MURDER

Stoughton Italian Held for Grand Jury

By Associated Press to The Sun

DEDHAM, Mass., Aug. 13.—Rosario Dianaro, a Stoughton Italian, is held responsible for the murder of Hiram H. Poole of Canton, by Justice Oscar A. Marden of the district court in an inquest report filed here today. Dianaro is in custody, having been arrested at Stoughton, and held for the grand jury.

Justice Marden today also filed an inquest report on the death of Esther May Poole, aged two years, as the result of a bullet wound from a revolver in the hands of her brother, Percy N. L. Poole, finding that the shooting was accidental.

The Poole murder occurred at Canton, August 2. Justice Marden finds that Mr. Poole died of "hemorrhages caused by wounds wilfully inflicted upon him with a knife by Rosario Dianaro."

ALL-MASSACHUSETTS TEAM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 13.—The British intercollegiate golfers today began a match with the all-Massachusetts team, the second of their contests in this country, on the links of the Essex County club. Weather conditions were as nearly ideal as those of yesterday. Play this morning included five four-ball matches, each match to count one point. For this afternoon two-ball matches were scheduled.

A large crowd followed the play, giving most of their attention to the last four who started, Captain Low and Veverige of the English team and G. F. Wheelock and J. F. Curtis of the county club.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Cotton.—Futures opened steady. Aug. 12.41; Sept. 10.77; Oct. 9.94; Nov. 9.83; Dec. 9.73; Jan. 9.74; Feb. ——; Mar. 9.76.

HE WANTED TO DIE

Put Gas Pipe in Mouth and Inhaled Gas

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 13—Joseph Smith, 32, unmarried, was found dead on the floor of a room in the Ye Tavern hotel this morning. The burner had been removed from a gas jet, a flexible tube attached and the end of that held in the man's mouth while the gas was turned on full head. The man lived at 1437 Rodman street in this city. No cause for the act has been assigned by his friends.

PARKS IN COURT

Sentence Not Pronounced Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Samuel J. Parks, the walking delegate of the housesmiths' and bridgemen's union, recently convicted of assault, appeared in the court today for sentence. After considerable argument, the pronouncement was deferred until Sept. 15. This was done so that Parks might not be embarrassed in his defence on charges of extortion, commencing today in the court of general sessions before Recorder Goff.

DESTROYER DECATUR

CAME VERY NEAR BEING WRECKED WHILE OFF BAR HARBOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—An examination at the New York navy yard of the torpedo destroyer Decatur, which recently ran on Grindstone Neck, off Bar Harbor, Me., revealed the fact that the boat instead of merely sustaining damage to its propeller blades, narrowly escaped being wrecked. The underbody had been scraped by the rock for almost its entire length. The paint had been taken off and in some places small indentations had been made in the bottom plates. Grindstone Neck is composed of many sharp pointed rocks and the boat's escape from serious damage was miraculous. It was found that the propeller shaft was also badly bent.

GULDENSUPPE'S HEAD

FOUND BY THREE BOYS IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13—A human head, supposed to be that of William Guldensuppe, who was murdered in 1898, was found today by some boys near the former boundary line between Dutch Hills and Ravenswood, now in Long Island City. The head was wrapped in an old German newspaper and it was found within three blocks of the store where Mrs. Nack bought the oil cloth, the identification of which led to the arrest of the woman and of Martin Thorn.

STORM NOTICE

ISSUED BY WEATHER BUREAU AT WASHINGTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13—The weather bureau this morning issued the following storm notice:

"The centre of the tropical storm has passed into the southeast part of the Gulf of Mexico and will probably move northward over the gulf. Gales dangerous to all classes of vessels are indicated for today and tonight over the middle and eastern gulfs. Wind will probably increase in force and become high on South Atlantic coast Friday."

TO NEW YORK

LAWRENCE MAN WILL PADDLE IN CANOE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Aug. 13.—George Allen, a popular member of the Merrimack Canoe club, started on a novel trip at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Allen intends to go up the Merrimack river in a canoe to Lake Winnipesaukee. From the lake he will go to Sugar river and into Claremont, N. H. At Claremont he will start on a trip down the Connecticut river. Allen will paddle from Claremont to Long Island sound and when he reaches the sound he will try to go to New York in his canoe.

Allen is well equipped for his long journey. He has a small tent in his canoe, a truck for hauling his craft across country when he comes to impassible places in the river, cooking utensils and a gun. He expects to complete the journey in a month.

CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

ANNOUNCED BY BELLS OF SURRY TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ELLSWORTH, Me., Aug. 13—Residents of Surry were awakened at sunrise today by a salute of bells announcing the centennial anniversary of that town. The day's exercises began with a band concert at 8 o'clock, followed by a baseball game, picnic dinner and another concert. A literary program in the afternoon included invocation by Rev. E. A. Bean of Blue Hill, address of welcome by Rev. J. D. McGraw, address on "The Past of Surry," by Dr. R. L. Grindle of Mt. Desert; address by Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of Newton Center, Mass., and speeches by former and present residents. Rev. F. L. Hayward spoke on "The Future of Surry."

ALI PASHA DISMISSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 13.—Ali Riza Pasha has been dismissed from his position as vali of Monastir and has been exiled to Tripoli.

FOR 28 YEARS THE
7-20-4
has been the New England favorite 10c cigar. Competent judges say they are now better than ever.

LITTLE GOLD DUST
has a 5c. cigar has a record that speaks for itself. For sale by all dealers.
H. G. SULLIVAN, Mfr., Manchester, N.H.

HELD IN $3000

Negro Scott Sent to the Grand Jury

By Associated Press to The Sun

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 13.—Sam Scott, the negro charged with breaking and entering the house of Charles W. Clifford and murderously assaulting Clifford and his brother-in-law, George Heald, was today held for the grand jury and in default of $3000 bonds, he was remanded to Dedham jail.

Scott was arrested the day after the affair at the Clifford house and after at first denying all knowledge of the affair, he told the police that a pal with whom he was travelling as a tramp, committed the deed. Last night, however, the police say, he admitted to them that he alone was responsible.

Both Heald and Clifford were seriously injured by the negro whom they had interrupted in robbing the house and who used a knife in fighting the men. Both were cut in many places, Heald having been in a dangerous condition for some days.

READING GAINED

Feature of the Stock Market

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The noteworthy feature of today's stock market during the early session, in the course of which prices advanced very generally, was the smart gain in Reading common. That stock jumped almost 5 points in the first hour and more than 100,000 shares changed hands up to 11.30 o'clock. There has been a fairly large short interest in Reading for Reading for some weeks and today the shorts rushed frantically to cover.

Reading is controlled by Lake Shore and Baltimore & Ohio, which are simply other names for New York Central and Pennsylvania. It is reported that Reading may be taken over by Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, that road to guarantee dividends on the common stock and retire the second preferred. As yet nothing of an official character has developed. Reading lost some of its gains by noon, but in common with the balance of the list held firm.

HEAVY DAMAGE

Fire in Block in Springfield

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 13—A special from Great Barrington says:

Fire broke out this morning in the annex of the Berkshire block here. The fire started in the rooms of Prof. Shurr, which are devoted to his work as a naturalist. The annex is occupied by Manley's tailoring establishment, J. T. Harper's drug store, Giddings & Giddings, attorneys, and the entire top story is used by the Odd Felelws. The fire proved stubborn and was not placed under control until after an hour, the damage by water being greater than by fire.

CALLED FOR MAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 13.—The United States steamship Vixen, which left Bar Harbor yesterday with the North Atlantic squadron for Long Island Sound put in here today, evidently after the mail.

LOSS IS $250,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 13.—President Preston of the United Fruit company places the damage to his company's property by reason of the Jamaica hurricane, at an amount not exceeding $250,000. He states that the principal damage has been to the growing fruit which cannot be made up.

HEALTH INSURANCE
We have a Health Policy which will interest you. Provides indemnity in case of illness and keeps the family bills paid. In this season when sickness is so prevalent there is no better investment than this policy. Drop us a postal and we shall be glad to show you the policy.
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Mince Meat.....5c a package
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3 prints, 50c; tubs, from 13c a lb. up.
CHOICE LINE OF TEAS
35c Best Oolong.....50c lb
60c Formosa Oolong.....30c, 4 lbs $1.60
50c Golden Tips Assam.....30c, 4 lbs $1.60
50c Orange Pekoe.....25c, 5 lbs $1.00
50c English Breakfast.....20c, 7 lbs. $1.00

SPECIAL NOTICES

ARE YOU COLLECTING STAMPS?—We have both kinds, blue and green, and give them away in quantities with Tea, Coffee and Baking Powder. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of John, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Duffy, sons of Mary Duffy, formerly of Fall River. Address Eliza Daley, care The Sun office.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

Corrected to June 22, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.50, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.00, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, x3.03, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.25, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w6.16, *6.22, 7.00, *7.10, 8.42, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.39, 7.21, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 4.25, 5.53, 8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, 5.06, w6.16, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.30, 8.45, p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, x2.30, x3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, Northampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 3.55 p. m. until Sept. 4, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.31, 7.48, 9.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22, 8.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, 8.46, 9.20, a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.53 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 3 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.39, *9.59, *10.39 a. m.; *12.00, 1.00, 1.35, *1.54, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; 12.09, 1.39, 5.39, *h8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For Tilton, Laconia, Lakeport, Weirs, Meredith and Plymouth, 7.30, *9.59 a. m.; 1.54, 5.39 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; 1.54, *h9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *h8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, (via Montreal) and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *h9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.54, *h9.10 p. m.

References:—
t Via Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
q Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
w Via Western Division.
x Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

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THE SUN
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At both Newstands
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HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 119 Powell street.

WANTED—Energetic, intelligent woman to canvass boarding houses and restaurants of Lowell for food article. Apply at Brown's grocery, 69 Gorham street, Friday morning, 10 to 11.

WANTED—Ladies and gents; we pay $12 per 1000, cash, copying at home; everything furnished; send stamp. Monarch Supply Co., Sta. 3, Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Young men to learn to last shoes. Apply Stover & Bean's, Hood building.

WANTED—Man to take care of horses, who understands driving. Apply at F. E. Putnam's restaurant, Sun building.

WANTED—A meat and vegetable cook at once. Apply 1 Merrimack corp.

WANTED—A soloshdy. Apply at once. Watson's bakery, 60 Charles street.

WANTED—First-class fitter on ladies' garments. Address Fitter, Sun office.

ONE OF THE LARGEST CORPORATIONS in Massachusetts has an opening for two good hustling men. Address "Box," Sun office.

FIVE INSURANCE AGENTS wanted immediately; only first-class men; any nationality; salary and commission, according to ability; call and investigate our plans. Provident Savings Life Assurance Society, 15 Merrimack square.

WANTED—A woman to do light housework and to care for two children. Call 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—Good chamber girl, kitchen girl and table girl at 53 Lee street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Lady's gold watch. Sunday. Owner's name on inside case. Finder rewarded at 356 Market street.

LOST—On 6.20 train from Boston, lady's red silk umbrella. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Gold brooch pin of dull gold. Return to Davis square drug store and receive reward.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A black and tan rabbit hound; owner's name and license number on collar; was last seen in his yard on Hampshire street. Liberate or inform J. Southworth, 101 Vermont avenue, Dracut, and avoid further trouble.

LOST—A pocketbook containing a large sum of money and three railroad tickets on Broadway car. Finder rewarded at A. O. Knapp's paper store, 73 Branch street.

LOST—Lady's storm coat between Wilder street, Lowell, over town of Andover and city of Lawrence. Return to 43 Central street. Liberal reward.

LOST—Wedding ring in vicinity of Gorham and Moore streets. Return to 93 Moore street. Mrs. Haughton.

LOST—Saturday evening on Coral street, a purse containing sum of money and H. C. S. class pin. Reward if returned to F. M. Perkins, 125 Branch St.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A store and two tenements at 42 and 44 Summer street, with 5304 square feet of land; also a three-tenement block in the rear; all in good repair; rents for $50 per month. For information apply to Mrs. Cross on the premises.

FOR SALE—Best lot of land, Branch street, for house or business; price $125. G. P. Walker, 354 Middlesex street.

IF YOU WANT to sell your real estate communicate with me quickly; I have customers; best forms fire, life and endowment insurance written. M. J. Sharkey, Swan building, 26 Central street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—A situation by respectable middle-aged woman at light housework, or would take care of one or two children. Apply at Sun office.

WIDOW LADY, 32, capable, neat and trustworthy, wishes employment with respectable well-to-do people. Address 286 Worthen street, corner Broadway.

SITUATION WANTED by a young lady who was living with her mother in Riverside park and who lost their home in the recent dynamite explosion; she is anxious to work to help build another home for the family of six who lost everything except the clothing they wore at the time; she would like a situation as a clerk or saleslady; she is an experienced typewriter operator. Address M., care Sun office.

PROTESTANT WOMAN would like situation as housekeeper; no children preferred. Address 58 Race street.

WANTED—Situation as stationary fireman; first-class license; six years' experience; good reference; can go to work at once. Address T. C., Sun.

TO LET

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, modern improvements, on Lawson street. Inquire at 61 Queen street.

TO LET—Good furnished rooms. 392 Bridge street.

TO LET—House in Nesmith street of 13 rooms, hot and cold water, bath and furnace heat; in good repair. Apply 163 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, Prince street; tenement of 5 rooms, Moody street; tenement of 5 rooms, Central street; rent low. Apply 463 Central street.

TO LET—Three newly finished and newly furnished rooms; good rooms for man and wife or for nurses. 276 Westford street.

TO LET—Two good tenements on Fayette street; also good tenement on Middlesex place. Inquire J. W. Heery, 65 Merrimack street.

TO LET—Tenement, healthy, dry and high location, six large rooms, pantry and bath room and hot and cold water; nice front piazza, nice front and rear yard, with a number of fruit trees. 147 Howard street.

TO LET—Furnished room, use of bath. 855 Middlesex street, side door. Price $1.

TO LET—Good tenement on Chelmsford street, $8; one at $12; new cottage with bath on Inland street $15. A. O. Russell, 467 Middlesex street.

TO LET—A tenement of 5 rooms, $1.50 per week. 7 Brooks street.

TO LET—A tenement of 7 rooms No. 30 Hurd street. Apply at 37 West 5th street.

NO TIME TO SPARE—It will be necessary to act quickly if you are thinking of changing your tenement this summer, our policy of putting our tenements in extra choice repair has caused them to fill up rapidly and you will have to act at once if you desire one. Our aim is to furnish a first-class, city, healthful home to self-respecting families at the lowest possible rent. If you want a comfortable, respectable home at small cost and where you will have good neighbors, call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—Flat of six rooms on Rogers street; hot and cold water, open plumbing. Apply 327 Fairmount street.

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PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 6, Swan building, 26 Central street.

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MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Loans paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, Room 8, Barristers' hall.

FOR SALE

AUTO SALE—One first-class gasoline with toneau, cheap, $825; $900 steam cars, $990. Morrison Auto Co., 195 Moody street.

FOR SALE—Universal printing press, 7x11, 15 fonts type and outfit; price low; cash or installments. Davis Printing Co., Davis square.

FOR SALE—Square wagon with top. 78 Royal street.

FOR SALE—Two male, sable and white, scotch collie pups; beauties. John Anderson, Wamesit, Mass.

FOR SALE—An upright piano and household furniture, including a fine range, very cheap; must be sold at once. At 190 Perry street.

FOR SALE—Five foot plate mirror, suitable for dressmaker. Inquire at 346 Fletcher street.

25,000 SICK; death rate increasing; cause, impure water; do you want to drink your water pure? then use The Living Spring Filter, the up-to-date 20th century invention for the purification of drinking water; pure water makes perfect health; the Living Spring Filter makes pure water; sent price $1.00. Address Hussey & Hutchins, 22 Smith avenue. Courteous salesmen wanted.

CAMP FOR SALE—On the banks of the Merrimack river, suitable for a family of eight; 5c fare from Lowell; also a boat. Apply 3 Alder street, Lawrence, Mass. Edward Sharkey.

FOR SALE—Two large store front windows and three counters; all as good as new; will sell cheap. Inquire at 498 Lakeview avenue.

MANURE FOR SALE—By carload. For prices, etc., apply Loudergaard & Nelson, 12 Kingston street, Charlestown, Mass.

FOR SALE—A full blooded bull terrier; cheap. Inquire 23 Cross street.

FOR SALE—A large liquor saloon, all furnished in first class manner, on Main street, opposite the post office, in Woonsocket, R. I.; the place is now doing a good and profitable business. For further particulars inquire at 64 Main street, Woonsocket, R. I.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes. Poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

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MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

MICHAEL SCHWARTZ, corner Market and Fulmer streets, makes all kinds of shoes for cripples and deformed feet at lowest prices; also all kinds of repairing done in first-class manner.

MRS. P. H. COREY offers her sympathy to the afflicted and wishes to call the attention of the people whose homes have been destroyed by the awful explosion that they may have anything in her store at cost price and delivered free. Mrs. P. H. Corey, General Supply House, 197-199 Middlesex street.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

BARGAINS—Linen markers from 75c to $1; rubber type from 25 cents to $2.50. One-third less than elsewhere. Print your own show and price cards. They sell the goods. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack street.

WE ARE ALL READY for fall styles from $1 up. Caps from 10c up at Delorme's, the hatter, 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 159 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City Hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief. Powerful combination. Used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents. Druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw, 418 Middlesex street.

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YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 35 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend building, New York.

WANTED—Tenement of three or four rooms, near city hall. Address, stating rent and convenience, J. B. H., Sun office.

WANTED—Cheap driving horse. Call at 60 Grove street Sunday or evenings before 8.

ROOMS to paint, paper and whitewash; stock and labor $4 per room, first class work. Send postal and I will call with samples of paper, or call at store, 241 Lakeview avenue. M. A. Gilligan & Son.

YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 34 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford. Take Boston car, second house on right past city line.

ST. CHARLES BARBER SHOP, 405 Middlesex street; 5 first-class workmen; under the management of Louis Joy. Your patronage solicited.

SUMMER RESORTS.

"THE OCEANSIDE"—Formerly the Bay View hotel, under the management of Mrs. Roby, has been remodeled and newly furnished; this place has always been a favorite resort with Lowell people; rates $1 and $1.25 per day.

THE WASHINGTON, Hampton Beach; comfortable rooms by the day or week; cafe on the European plan; all home cooking; souvenir sea shells and novelties.

"THE LEIGHTON," Salisbury Beach, is now open for the season; good rooms and the finest board.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR JULY

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of July, 1903, was **15,459** A gain of 1952 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Aug 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞ An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Can it be possible as rumored that General Wood, recently plain Dr. Wood, is to take the place of Governor Taft of the Philippines?

The relief work for the explosion sufferers goes on apace. An appeal has been sent out to papers throughout the state. It is hoped that it will bear fruit.

Tonight Jim Corbett seeks a further proof of his lost powers as a pugilist. It requires a knockout blow from the champion, Jeffries, to convince Corbett beyond peradventure that his boxing days are over.

The trail of the great explosion can be traced into the office of every lawyer in town. Once the responsibility is fixed the claims for damages will pour in mayhap with overwhelming effect upon the guilty parties.

Between the state and metropolitan police and the newspapers Revere beach has been greatly damaged as a summer resort and still the fight goes on. In this respect the beach reservation and the town are not to be confounded.

Judge Emmons has issued an order authorizing an officer to use his revolver whenever molested by anybody in the discharge of his duty. Emmons knows not nor does he seem to care to what extent this authority may be used unwarrantably to the detriment of the general public.

Alas for the West Indies! Martinique, St. Vincent and Guadaloupe have had their terrible visitations and now Jamaica has been swept by a cyclone. In the olden time it would have been said that these islands had surely incurred the direst wrath of the gods.

William S. Allen, who as treasurer of the Methodist Preachers' Aid society, embezzled $136,000, has a heavy responsibility resting upon his shoulders. No doubt many a poor struggling preacher was subjected to hardship, privation and indignity through Allen's pilfering. The money subscribed to help such men went into the maws of the stock jobbers. If Allen be caught an example should be made of him.

TIMELY PRECAUTION NECESSARY.

The Paris horror in which two trains were burned in an underground tunnel and a great many lives lost by suffocation and otherwise, may well engage the attention of every large city in the world in which subways or tunnels are used for public travel. A similar catastrophe is likely to occur in any of the tunnels unless extra precautions be exercised.

The great explosion and its terrible effect in death and disaster caused many cities to move powder magazines to a safe distance. In a similar way should the Paris horror cause the metropolitan cities to guard against such catastrophes by timely precautions.

Boston is constructing a tunnel to East Boston and she has her subways besides. If a car or a number of cars caught fire in the subway, it is doubtful if the ventilation would be sufficient to prevent the suffocation of all the passengers. It is stated that the New York tunnel is not a whit more safe than the Paris tunnel in which the disaster occurred. If this be so it is time some steps were taken by that city to provide for the public safety.

Such horrors although bringing death and suffering to the victims bear a useful lesson to the entire world and to all succeeding ages on defects of construction in the tunnel and in the mechanism by which the fire was started.

It is true that the disaster could easily have been averted had intelligent judgment been exercised but on the contrary it rested with a man who did not seem to realize the responsibility placed in his hands, to say that nothing was to be feared when he was told to stop to avert accident.

GENERAL MILES TO THE FORE.

General Miles is being talked of for head of the Grand Army and no doubt he will be selected for that honor. No other general in the United States today can show such a record of valor in such a long line of battles as can General Miles. He passed through the terrific battles of the Civil war and every war that this country has seen since with the exception of the Philippine, if that can be called a war.

In recent years his record has excited the envy of some small men such as General Alger who lost no opportunity of snubbing and belittling Miles. During the war with Cuba Alger kept Miles in the rear and pushed his favorite, the bloated General Shafter, to the front by putting him in charge of the army. All Shafter could do was to lie in his hammock four or five miles to the rear of the army, whereas had Miles been the commander he would have been with his men on the firing line and a different story would have been told of the result.

Even the simplest details of that skirmish—it did not deserve the name real war when the battles of the civil war are to be considered—were so mismanaged that the army became the laughing stock of the world. The only piece of generalship shown was that conducted by General Miles in Porto Rico. While trying to belittle Miles and to disregard his counsel, Alger so mismanaged things that hundreds of lives were lost as a result of unsanitary conditions and improper food. The responsibility for the "embalmed beef" spoken of by General Miles was laid at Alger's door and after a good deal of bantering he was driven into retirement.

The present administration has in a quiet way followed the course pursued by Alger but did not carry it to extremes. Gen. Miles was regarded as a dangerous man politically. That is why he was snubbed by Alger and subsequently by Root. He would have been removed by President Roosevelt but for the danger of his appearing as an opposition candidate for the presidency. He is now a free man disentangled from the restraint and the responsibility of official position. He is free to speak and to act according to his judgment and is in all respects a man who from his long, valiant and honorable services to his country as a soldier deserves to be honored by the people of the United States.

President Roosevelt was elected vice president on his war record. He fired a few shots at San Juan hill and among other acts of daring shot down a fleeing defenseless Spaniard. That is the extent of his triumphs as a warrior and a rough rider. Compared with Miles as a man and a patriot Roosevelt, the politician appears very small indeed.

In regard to statesmanship, of course it is outside the province of both men, but in a political contest between the two, we believe the people would be inclined to honor Miles. It is for this reason that Miles is now and has been feared by Roosevelt as he was feared by the small fry of which Alger is the most despicable type. Although retired and advanced in years Miles is still energetic enough to assert himself in politics and throw a few bombshells into the republican camp.

SEEN AND HEARD

It is very evident that people do not always say what they mean when they are excited or anything is bothering them. A local undertaker tells the following story which goes to prove the above assertion: I was called to a house one day to take care of the body of a woman who died and upon arriving at the house I encountered three women who were weeping most bitterly and several other women, presumably neighbors, who were trying to console them. One of the women in the room knowing me tapped one of the members of the family on the shoulder and said: "This is the undertaker." The women who was a sister of the deceased came up to me and while wiping the tears with her handkerchief held out her right hand to me and said: "I am glad to see you."

Speaking of undertakers there is another story going the rounds which is perfectly true and one which undertakers encounter very often. While some people will buy habits and suits from the undertaker in which to dress the deceased, many people have a suit belonging to the deceased placed on the body. A local undertaker tells of going to a house once and after measuring the body told the woman to have the underclothing and suit ready to place on the body when he came back with the casket. He returned in about an hour and the woman seemed to be worried about something. When the undertaker asked for the clothing she brought out two suits of clothes and said to the man: "Now these are both good suits, but I believe that this brown one will wear better than the black one."

REV. EDWARD FOWLER

MADE DOMESTIC PRELATE TO THE POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—The pope received Cardinal Satolli yesterday who inquired regarding the appointment of a new secretary of state in succession to Cardinal Rampolla and again suggested Vincenzo Vannutelli as the best fitted for the position. Cardinal Satolli then proposed the appointment of Father Edward Fowler, secretary to the Rev. J. J. Harty as a domestic prelate to the pontiff, which post carries with it the title of monsignor. The pope granted the request. Cardinal Gibbons will come to Rome Friday to assist at the consecration on Saturday of the Rev. J. J. Harty as archbishop of Manila.

PLOT DISCOVERED

MURDER OF PRESIDENT OF SANTO DOMINGO PLANNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Despatches from Santo Domingo say that a plot to murder General Alejandro Wos Y Gil, the president, has been discovered and that there have been many arrests.

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A NEW CHAMPION

Neil Knocked Out Harry Forbes

BLOW IN STOMACH DID THE TRICK

End Came in Second Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Frank C. Neil of San Francisco won the bantam weight championship of the world last night when he landed a left swing in the pit of Harry Forbes' stomach in the second round of a scheduled twenty-round fight. Forbes by virtue of holding the championship was a two to one favorite in the betting, but Neil in spite of that fact, had many local supporters. In the first round of the fight no effective blows were landed until Forbes who appeared in splendid condition began to show himself as the heavier boxer of the two, but he could not land effectively.

When they came up for the second round Neil slashed out with his left and landed a terrific punch on Forbes' stomach. The ex-champion doubled up like a jackknife and fell over backward. He lay in the corner of the ring gasping for breath but managed to get up before ten seconds were counted. Neil went at his man like a young tiger and rained a shower of blows on the almost defenceless Forbes. Another punch in the stomach sent Forbes down again and Referee Graney counted him out. Neil evidently did not hear the end of the count for as Forbes struggled to his feet Neil landed another on the jaw and sent his man under the ropes. There was a vigorous cry of foul from the Forbes people, but as the man had already been counted out it was of no avail. Johnny Regan of St. Louis challenged the winner.

HORSE THIEF

PLACED UNDER ARREST IN SOUTHBRIDGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 14.—A special from Southbridge says:

Wilfred Amoyt, 23, of Woonsocket, R. I., charged with stealing two horses from Stephen Howland of South Woodstock, Conn., was arrested yesterday afternoon in Southbridge, and both horses and a buggy which was stolen, were recovered. Amoyt admits his guilt.

BURNED TO CRISP

LITTLE BOY HAD BEEN SMOKING CIGARETTES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 14.—John Thornton, aged 10 years was burned to a crisp at his home in North Londonderry six miles from this city, yesterday afternoon, the feet being burned completely off. The boy had been smoking cigarettes and it is supposed that the little shanty near the house caught fire from a match which he may have thrown down. Presumably he went in to attempt to extinguish the flames when he was suffocated and perished in the flames.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

COUNCILMAN FEAS DESPONDENT FOR SOME TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Aug. 14.—Andrew Feas, 32, a member of the common council, committed suicide in the woods near his home yesterday afternoon by shooting himself four times and then stabbing himself and cutting his throat with a knife. He had been despondent for some days. A searching party found his body yesterday.

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MAYOR HOWE

WILL PLAY IN TALL HAT CRICKET GAME.

U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic Asso. will hold its annual tall hat game on the Wigginville grounds tomorrow, Aug. 15, when one of the most laughable games will be seen in a year by men who are termed "has beens" or never has beens and everbody who witnessed last year's game of the "Two Georges" knows what a good time they had.

There will be all kinds of sports including 100-yard dash for men, 100-yard dash for boys, egg and spoon races, potato race, obstacle race, races for single and married women and a fat man's race for men over 45 years, for which suitable prizes will be given.

After the games dancing will be indulged in to the music of Griffith's band, which will also give a concert during the afternoon, and the grounds will be beautifully illuminated with Japanese lanterns. A full list of the players is as follows:

George Ensley, George Kitchener, M. Dugan, Wm. Wilkinson, C. W. Needham, J. P. Walsh, J. H. Barry, J. J. O'Connell, Wm. Hardy, T. H. Boyle, Joe Marsden, John M. Dunphy, J. G. Birtwell, Tom Whitaker, Chas. McAskell, John Crawford, John Carson, Alfred Kay, James Smith, J. Murray, Fred Rourke, Bath Asquith, J. McElholm, James Terry, Joseph Rawnsley, W. Riley, Fred Law, T. J. Moore, Wm. Fitzpatrick, George Fox.

Mayor Howe has signified his intention to be present and bowl the first over in the game.

STINSON INJURED

BICYCLE RIDER FELL FROM HIS WHEEL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 14.—After riding a mile and a quarter in the first heat of a three cornered motor paced race, Stinson had a fall as the tire of his front wheel came off. He was cut in several places but no bones were broken. Harry Caldwell was given the heat. Stinson defeated Benny Munroe in the second heat by three fourths of a lap. Time, 7:28 2-5. Caldwell easily beat Stinson in the final heat, passing him three times. Time 7:22. Marcus Hurley from scratch, won the two mile amateur handicap in 1:15 4-5; Fred Ernst (30) was second and C. L. Hollister of Springfield (30) was third. Attendance—2500.

GOVERNOR PEABODY

WILL NOT RECALL WARRANT FOR BURTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 14. Gov. Peabody yesterday refused to recall the warrant granted by him for the extradition to Massachusetts of Francis L. Burton, a mining man, who has been convicted in the Massachusetts courts of having obtained $2500 under false pretences from the Boston and Albany railroad company. A writ of habeas corpus was secured in the district court to prevent Burton being hurried out of the state. This will have to be disposed of before he can be taken east. After sentence is passed upon him, application will be made to the governor of Massachusetts for a pardon for him.

MRS. STEVENS

NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE MAINE HIGH LICENSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, national and state president of the Women's Christian Temperance union, who recently returned from Geneva, Switzerland, where she addressed the world's convention, said she never expected to see Maine become a high license state.

She does not believe an attempt will be made at the coming special session of the legislature to bring up the question of resubmission. Advice received by the W. C. T. U. leaders denotes that the legislature will resubmit the question to the people.

She said a secret conference was held yesterday of the workers attending the New England int-r-state institute at Old Orchard, where the different temperance organizations throughout the states as well as the grangers were urged to work in securing proper enforcement in Maine.

JUDGE EMMONS

WANTS AN INCREASE OF $1000 A YEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Judge Emmons, chairman of the board of police commissioners, asked for an increase in salary of $1000 a year for himself and each of his colleagues at a special legislative hearing at the state house yesterday. Judge Emmons advocated that the money received from dog licenses which now is divided among the commissioners as part of their salary should be paid into the city treasury. The hearing was before a special legislative committee appointed to consider the question of abolishing court fees.

SOME CYCLE NEWS

Of Interest to the Wheelmen

"Kramer is about the last man most people would have picked out to win a six-day race, even one with such short riding periods as that at Providence," remarked an old racing man who has followed the game since the days of the high wheel. "And yet it merely goes to show that a man never knows what he can do until he tries.

"Now, there was Arthur Zimmerman. No one would ever have picked him as a man to excel in anything but the style of racing in which he scored nearly all of his triumphs—that is, from the quarter up to five miles. But the year the 'Jersey Skeeter' carried off most of the English championships—all that he started in, if I remember correctly—he turned from winning the mile on one day to the fifty mile on the following one, and won it just as easily as he did the others. He had never undergone any special training for such a long distance, but he learned that all the best English riders tried to scoop the long as well as the short distance championships, and he made up his mind that if Osmond and the rest of them could do this he could also.

"So he extended his practice spins, putting in five or ten miles after doing some sprinting, and once he rode about twenty or twenty-five miles. But until he started in the race he had never gone anywhere near fifty miles at speed, and he was about the only one in the American camp who had faith in his lasting qualities. Bless you, though, he lasted all right, and won just about as easy as he did any of the other races."

"It was much the same way with poor Harry Elkes. I remember well when he made his first big coup. It was back in the late 90's—about '97, if memory serves, and Tom Linton was in the heyday of his glory. He and Elkes were matched to ride an hour behind pace at Philadelphia. Elkes being an eleventh hour selection, the man originally picked for the purpose having been hurt or something of the kind. Up to that time Harry had been dubbing around, riding sprint races and slowly making his way up toward the front. But he was very far from being a top notcher even in the sprints, and as for long distance plugging—well, no one had ever given him a thought in that connection.

"I think the race took place at the Willow Grove track, then only built a short time. Linton's only anxiety was to have Elkes make a respectable showing, and he prepared to take things easy so as to put some heart in the Glens Falls boy and not make it a runaway at the start. But it proved to be almost that, only the shoe was on the other foot. Elkes took the bit in his teeth almost at the pistol fire, and, getting a slight lead before Linton knew what was happening to him, he kept on and widened the gap until he had lapped the Welshman repeatedly.

"The news went all over the country, and Elkes jumped at once into the position he ever afterward retained. He was a long distance star of the first magnitude, while that night—it was a Saturday night—Linton's decline began. He was never able to do as well after that, although he tried hard and for several years was able to keep pretty near the top.

"To return to Kramer, I think that he shows that a good man can shine at any distance. It is all a matter of training and of confidence. Let a man think he can do a thing, and make some preparation for it, and the chances are that he will win out."

Take two men of equal speed. One of them will beat the other on the track, and the defeated one will turn the tables. A well known racing man who has studied this problem claims that the ankle throw causes it, and illustrates his point as follows: The track man rides with the pedals set well toward the toe, thus giving him great sprinting power and a much longer ankle throw. The road rider's pedal is fixed well toward the middle of the foot, giving him greater power, most of the work being done by the thigh. If a path man wants to hold his own he will have to move the cleats on his shoes half an inch further back, and he will be surprised at the result. To the road rider who aspires to fame on the path: Move your cleats forward or have the tocclips well back.

BEST WORLD'S RECORD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—"Major" Taylor yesterday reduced the world's bicycle record for 500 metres from 18 4-5 seconds to 18 seconds at the Velodrome Buffalo.

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PUBLIC FUNERAL

NINETEEN VICTIMS OF PARIS DISASTER BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—An imposing public funeral was held at the prefecture yesterday of nineteen victims of the Metropolitan railroad tunnel catastrophe, whose bodies were unclaimed. Premier Combes delivered a short address, promising measures of relief for the families of the victims, while the president of the municipality spoke of the universal sympathy displayed throughout the world. The bodies were then borne to Notre Dame cathedral, where the religious ceremony was held and afterwards interred in various cemeteries.

COMMUNICATION.

Mr. Editor:

Readers of the local newspapers will see articles about the trustees of the Edson cemetery now and then, how much they are doing in beautifying the city's cemetery and how kind it was of them to give a deed to an old lady at the old lady's home without it costing her one cent, while Tommy Dickson, the blind man, who earns an honest dollar by the selling of lead pencils, etc., had to pay $15 for his lot recently and he hasn't got his deed yet. Then you will read again that the trustees are getting very kind and generous and are going to have a soldiers' lot where all the bodies of the old soldiers of the civil war who now lie in their last rest in different parts of the burial ground are to be removed body and bones in this beautiful spot. The little town of Lawrence, down the river, has had for the last 25 years a soldiers' lot. The little city's cemetery trustees didn't wait 40 years to find a burial place for all of the friendless old soldiers like other cities of 100,000 inhabitants have done. The wrong doings of the management of the Edson cemetery can be placed by the voters on the republican party. I have had a mother buried there since 1871 and for the last five years I have been trying to reclaim my lot. The trustees say they can seize lots and remove bodies from them whenever they like. Who gave them all of this power? The state didn't. The book of acts and resolves of Mass., 1891, which can be seen in the public library by calling for it in the reference room, don't say so. What it does say a school boy of 12 years can understand. "The trustees," it says, "of which there shall be three, are to have the care, management and superintendence of all city cemeteries." It doesn't say the trustees have the right to rob the lot owners of their dead or to threaten to do so. For the last 50 years up to a few months ago it was thoroughly understood by all the older grantees that they had a bona fide claim to their lots when they took them up. Now the present trustees want to make the owners out as squatters. The act of May 16, 1891, regarding public burial grounds don't make any changes in my opinion in regard to the claims of the lot holders. What the state granted was a privilege to go outside the cemetery fence and buy land and seize it if necessary and to pay its owner a legal value but never to take lots away from the living where their dead lies buried. The bible says let the dead rest, but perhaps the trustees of the cemetery never heard of the bible.

F. A. ROLFE.

CLERK SMITH ARRESTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 14.—Edmund J. Smith, former discount clerk in the Merchants National bank of this city, who is accused of having stolen $20,000 from the bank and who disappeared about two weeks ago, has been arrested in Williamson, Va. A detective will leave at once to bring him back.

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FINE FIELDING

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A bad fourth inning put Lawrence out of the running at Spalding park yesterday but during the rest of the game the down river boys worked continuously and hence the exhibition was interesting throughout, while four sharp double plays and a couple of sensational catches and fielding plays gave the audience ample opportunity to enthuse.

Some 1500 turned out and it was one of the most enthusiastic crowds seen in a long time. They were ready to cheer any good play and were given a chance.

Lawrence hit Hooker harder than Lowell hit Beard but Hooker kept them scattered while Lowell's were more timely. Then Lawrence made errors at the wrong time while Lowell's misplays did no damage except to fielding records.

The game in detail:

Sammy Bernard was the first up and Buck walked him. O'Hara knocked any number of fouls down the first base line and Buck fanned him. Bernard stole second. Valdois died between McLaughlin and Lake. Murch got a hand as he stepped up and Hooker got one as he struck him out.

For Lowell, Hafford couldn't fathom Beard's benders and struck out. Bigbie flied to O'Hara. Merritt hit to Valdois and was out at first.

Second inning: Conroy caught a high one and made a single. Klobe sacrificed to Lake. Gene Hart lifted the ball to left center for two bases, scoring the giant. Coveney hit one to the left field fence that looked like a dead sure two bagger but Bigbie made a sensational running catch and Coveney was out. Beard hit to Connors and was third out.

For Lowell, Coveney made a great running catch of Lake's foul fly. Grant had a walk to first. Grant stole second and the pitch being wild took third. He scored on McLaughlin's single. Connors placed a single in right, sending Barney to third. Cross sent a fly over Bernard's head but Sammy caught it and nailed Connors off first.

Score, one up.

Third inning: Bernard opened with a clean single by first base. O'Hara bunted to Lake and Connors covered second. The Lawrence crowd called Sullivan "a bum" on the decision but O'Hara admitted that he was out. Valdois foul flied to Merritt and Murch flied to Bigbie. In Lowell's half Hooker fanned out, Hafford died, Murch to Conroy. Bigbie was the next victim to fan.

Fourth inning: Conroy batted a fly into Grant's hands. Klobedanz hit over Bigbie's head but in rounding first base Kloby fell all over himself and he only got one base on the hit. Klobey was hurt and Bunyan ran for him. Hart popped a foul fly to Merritt. Coveney hit a grounder that belonged to McLaughlin but Hafford butted in with one hand and Coveney got a hit that didn't belong to him. Beard died. Hooker to Lake. For Lowell, Merritt singled and got second on a wild pitch. Valdois fumbled Lake's grounder. Grant bunted to Beard who fumbled and the bases were filled. McLaughlin's best was a foul fly to Coveney. After Coveney and Beard had had a long talk together Connors flied to Hart and Merritt scored. Cross then knocked a two-bagger that scored Lake and Grant. Hooker hit to Beard and died at first.

Score, Lowell 4; Lawrence, 1.

Fifth inning: Benard fanned out. Everyone thought O'Hara had a safe hit back of second but Billy Connors did some great sprinting and gobbled the ball. He had hardly got back when Valdois hit a line drive and Billy grabbed that.

At this point Klobedanz retired from the game and Bunyan took his place in right field. Hafford flied to Conroy. Bigbie died, Valdois to Conroy. Merritt got four bad ones. He started to steal second just as Lake hit to Murch for three out.

Sixth inning: Murch died on a grounder to McLaughlin. Conroy singled to center. Bunyan hit to McLaughlin and a double play resulted.

For Lowell, Grant got first on a bad throw by Murch and he promptly stole second. He scored on McLaughlin's little single to left by great running, while Barney got to second on the throw home. Connors in trying to sacrifice bunted into Beard's hands and McLaughlin was doubled at second. Cross fanned.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 1.

Seventh inning: Hart got a single to left and Bigbie's fumble gave him second. Coveney went out, Connors to Lake. Beard went out the same way but Hart scored. Bernard put a fly over first base and Connors got it. In Lowell's half Hooker went out, Valdois to Conroy. Hafford drew a base on balls. Bigbie got a crack in the arm. Merritt flied to Bernard. Lake finished the inning, Bernard to Conroy.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 2.

Eighth inning: O'Hara died. Connors to Lake. Valdois went to second on a bad throw by Hafford. Murch got first on an excusable error by Bigbie. But Conroy hit to McLaughlin and Barney made a pretty double play. For Lowell, Grant went out, Murch to Conroy, and so did McLaughlin. Connors flied to Valdois.

Ninth inning: Bunyan flied to Cross. Hart fanned out. Coveney got a scratch hit. Beard made a two bagger that scored Coveney, but Bernard died, Connors to Lake.

The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bigbie lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
Merritt c	3	1	1	1	6	0	0
Lake 1b	4	1	0	0	11	1	0
Grant rf	2	3	0	0	1	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	2	2	2	4	0
Connors 2b	4	0	1	1	4	5	0
Cross rf	3	0	1	2	1	0	0
Hooker p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	5	5	6	27	11	3

LAWRENCE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Bernard 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	0
O'Hara lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Valdois ss	4	0	0	0	2	3	1
Murch 3b	4	0	0	0	1	4	1
Conroy 1b	4	1	2	2	11	0	0
Klobedanz rf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Bunyan rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hart m	4	1	2	3	1	0	0
Coveney c	4	1	2	2	6	0	0
Beard p	4	0	1	2	1	2	1
Totals	34	3	9	11	24	11	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	*—5
Lawrence	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—3

Summary: Earned runs, Lawrence 2. Two base hits, Cross, Hart, Beard. Stolen bases, Grant 2, Merritt, Lake, Bernard. Sacrifice hits, Grant, O'Hara, Klobedanz. Double plays, McLaughlin and Lake 2, Bernard and Conroy, Beard and Valdois. Bases on balls, off Hooker, off Beard 3. Struck out, by Hooker 4, by Beard 1. Wild pitch, Beard 2. Passed ball, Merritt. Hit by pitched ball, Bigbie. Time of game, 1.45. Umpire, Sullivan. Attendance, 1600.

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FALL RIVER WON BOTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Aug. 14.—Fall River took both games of a double-header from Manchester yesterday afternoon, scoring a shut out in the second game. The champions could do nothing with Gilroy in the first game, while Fall River batted Morrissey out of the box. The latter's support was not of the best, however.

In the second game Courneen was very effective, keeping hits well scattered, while Whiting was found easily by the local batsmen. Sensational fielding features were contributed by Bowden, O'Hara and Ball.

Scores by innings:

(First Game.)

Fall River .....0 0 0 4 0 2 0 0 x—6
Manchester .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

Torned runs—Fall River. Two base hits—O'Hara, Warren, Leith. Three base hit—Kane. Stolen bases—O'Hara, Rapp. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Morrissey 2, off Gilroy 2. Struck out—By Gilroy 1, by Morrissey 1, by Leith 4. Wild pitch—Morrissey. Time—1.37. Umpire—Jordan.

(Second Game).

Fall River .....0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 x—4

Earned run—Fall River. Two base hits—Bowden, Moorehead, Ball, Clark. Three base hit—Iott. Stolen bases—Bowcock, Lawrence. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Whiting 1, off Courneen 3. Hit by pitched balls—Warren, Courneen. Struck out—By Whiting 4. Time—1.41. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—2100.

CONCORD 6, NEW BEDFORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 14.—The home team could not hit McCarthy yesterday, and not a run was scored by Doe's players. Foxen was not pitching his best and hits, bases on balls and errors all contributed to an easy victory for the visitors. Four hits, each in a different inning, were all that the local players made, for McCarthy pitched effectively and he had good support. The home team had two men on bases in the last inning with none out but it was impossible to make a single run.

Score by innings:

Concord ..... 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 2 x—6

Earned runs—Concord 1. Two base hits—Noblitt, Eustace, Eaton. Stolen bases—Kane, Eustace, Mullaney. First base on balls—By Foxen 3, by McCarthy 1. First base on errors—Concord 2, New Bedford 3. Hit by pitched ball—Kane, Noblitt. Passed balls—Burrill, Eaton. Wild pitch—McCarthy. Struck out—By McCarthy 5, by Foxen 5. Time—1.20. Umpire—Webster. Attendance—650.

NASHUA 6, HAVERHILL 5.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 14.—Nashua and Haverhill were to have played a double header yesterday afternoon, but as the first game lasted 15 innings the second was postponed until today. It was Haverhill's game up to the ninth, when through a two base hit by McLean and a single by Daum the score was tied.

Both teams scored in the 14th and in the last five innings it was much of a question of endurance on the part of the pitchers. Daum scored the winning run through an error by Richardson. Sheets made a pretty running catch in the 15th inning.

Score by innings:

Nashua
0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1—6
Haverhill
0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—5

Earned runs—Nashua 3, Haverhill 1. Two base hits—McLean, Daum, Richardson. Three base hit—McLean. Stolen bases—Jordan, Ashenbach 2, Calhoun. First base on balls—Off Gokey 2. Hit by pitched balls—Wilson, Gokey. Struck out—By Gokey 8, by Deininger 5. Time—2.55. Umpire—Kerins. Attendance—600.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:

At Detroit—(First game) Boston 3, Detroit 1. (Second game) Detroit 10, Boston 1.

At Cleveland—(First game) Cleveland 5, New York 2. (Second game) Cleveland 8, New York 2.

At Washington — Washington-St. Louis game postponed, rain.

At Chicago—Philadelphia 5, Chicago 1.

NATIONAL:

At Boston—Chicago 7, Boston 8.
At Brooklyn—Pittsburg 12, Brooklyn 6.
At New York—(First game) New York 5, St. Louis 2. (Second game) New York 9, St. Louis 7.

EASTERN:

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Providence 4.
At Toronto—Toronto 7, Montreal 1.
At Jersey City—Jersey City 13, Rochester 4.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	51	32	.614
Lowell	52	35	.598
Concord	46	36	.561
Nashua	47	37	.560
Fall River	42	42	.500
New Bedford	40	42	.488
Lawrence	35	42	.456
Haverhill	22	60	.268

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	64	32	.667
New York	50	37	.615
Chicago	60	41	.594
Cincinnati	51	45	.522
Brooklyn	44	50	.468
Boston	33	52	.429
St. Louis	25	65	.357
Philadelphia	31	61	.336

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	61	35	.635
Philadelphia	55	41	.573
Cleveland	52	45	.536
New York	47	49	.522
Detroit	47	49	.511
St. Louis	42	60	.462
Chicago	42	58	.442
Washington	29	61	.312

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Lawrence.
Manchester at Fall River.
Concord at New Bedford.
Nashua at Haverhill.

Bushey and Long will be the pitchers at Glen Forest today. If Long isn't right Klobedanz will officiate.

We're right after Manchester and the champs have four more games to play than we have. We'll get that pennant yet.

The York Beach team defeated the Dover Reds by a score of 2 to 0 yesterday. On the York team were Herb. Jr., and O. Webster, Grover Fels, Walter Muzzey and Hutch Parker, all of Lowell, and Herb. Webster, Sr. umpired.

Manager Lake made a bid for Spalding park in the recent sale but when he saw that Mr. Cawley was going after it to get it he stopped at $2200.

Manager Lake is trying to get the Chicago Nationals and the Boston Americans here before the season closes.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK

LEAGUE GAME.

SATURDAY—NASHUA vs. LOWELL.

Game Called at 3:15 o'clock.

Admission 25c.

BRIDGE STREETERS WON

DEFEATED LAKEVIEW AVENUES AT LAWN PARTY.

At St. Mary's lawn party, Collinsville, yesterday, the Bridge street merchants defeated the Lakeview avenue business men by a score of 6 to 2 in a six-inning game. The score was as follows:

BRIDGE STREET.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
J. Foye c	4	0	2	13	2	0
McCarthy p	2	1	0	0	14	0
Kelly 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
O'Malen 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Keith ss	3	2	3	2	1	0
Hubin 3b	3	1	2	0	0	1
St. McKenzie rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hurd m	3	0	0	0	0	0
Landry lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	27	6	8	18	18	2

LAKEVIEW AVENUE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
McGuane c	4	1	0	9	0	0
McKenzie p	3	0	1	0	8	0
Noonan 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
McNeil lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Burns 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
McGrath ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
McKenna m	2	0	0	0	1	0
W. Foye 3b	2	1	2	1	0	1
Blinkhorn rf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	21	2	23	18	10	2

Two base hits, Kelly, Foye, Keith. Home runs, Keith, R. McKenzie. Base on balls, McCarthy, McGrath. Struck out, McKenzie 8, McCarthy 13. Umpire, Lyons.

The Independents defeated the Atlantics by the score of 8 to 7 last week and the latter team was not satisfied that we, the Independents, were their superiors, so another game was agreed to be played, with the understanding that each team would patch in for a quarter ball and the winner to take ball. The game had not progressed very far when Charley Curran, manager of the Atlantics saw that his hot air team was in for a good drubbing and he at once stole the ball and ran home with it. He is a tin can sport and he can keep the ball if he wants to, for we have won more base balls than we will be able to use this season. We would like to arrange games with teams under 12 years of age. Send challenges to Fred Callahan, 85 Agawam street.

The Sunnysides and Groves will meet tomorrow and a hot game may be looked for. Nelson will do the twirling for the Groves and Donohoe for the Sunnysides.

WON CANADA CUP

AMERICAN BOAT TOOK THE DECIDING RACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 14—The Irondequoit, the American challenger for the Canada's cup yesterday won the deciding race of the series, thus wresting the trophy from across the water. It will now rest in the Rochester Yacht club until some Canadian boat shall bring it back.

Yesterday's race was a triangular one, seven miles to a leg.

Hanlan on the Irondequoit had the better of Jarvis on the Strathcona in jockeying for the start and the American yacht went flying across the line with a small lead, which she increased steadily to the first mark.

The Strathcona gained 20 seconds on her rival on the second leg.

The credit for the victory is accorded by all to Arthur Hanlan of New York, the Corinthian sailor who was called here to take charge after the professional skipper, Captain Barr, had lost the first two races.

Mr. Hanlan won three races, wresting the cup from Canada.

The summaries:

	Start	First Race	Second Buoy	Finish
Irondequoit	11:15:00	12:47:50	1:42:27	2:40:55
Strathcona	11:15:05	12:49:29	1:43:29	2:42:15

Starting gun 11:15.

IN TWO EVENTS

THE FAVORITES WON AT ROCHESTER RACES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 14—The races at the closing day of the Rochester fair meeting at Cold Springs park yesterday were well contested. Favorites won in two of the events. In the 2.35 class, pacing, Deerfoot, owned by E. P. Fox of Franklin, N. H., dropped dead after finishing fourth in the last heat. The horse fell against the fence about 100 feet on the finishing side of the wire.

Summaries:

Free for all; purse $300.

Princess Mignette, bm (Page)	4	1	1	1
Louise G., bm (Merrill)	1	2	4	2
Dumont W., bg (Earnest)	3	4	2	3
John T., ch g (Bowser)	2	3	3	4

Time, 2.12½, 2.12½, 2.12¾, 2.11.

2.18 class, trotting; purse $300.

Ralph Wilkes, bg (Riley)	1	1	1	
Gene D., bm (Johnson)	2	2	2	
Aldelone, bs (Davis)	3	3	3	

Time, 2.15¾, 2.16¾, 2.20¾.

2.35 pacing; purse $300.

Wilkes Brino, gg (Palmer)	1	1	1	
Deerfoot, bg (Fox)	3	4	2	
Ephraim, bg (Merrill)	4	2	3	
Lady Dufferin, gm (George)	2	3	4	
Alphouse, bg (Granzeur)	5	5	5	

Time, 2.20, 2.23, 2.24¼.

COUNCILMAN KEARNS

HAS NOT BEEN UNSEATED AS YET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROCKTON, Aug. 14.—The proposed movement to unseat Councilman Andrew J. Kearns, socialist, of ward 5, failed at the meeting of the common council last evening. President George A. Monk refused to allow an order declaring the seat of Mr. Kearns vacant to come before the body. He read it and declared it not eligible for consideration by the body.

Councilman A. B. Butman, who presented the order, appealed from the decision, but the ruling of the chair was sustained. In speaking to the question Councilman Butman said it was his purpose to have the order referred to the committee of elections and returns, if to investigate and report.

The assessors have refused to assess Mr. Kearns this year, declaring his legal residence to be in Natick, and his legal standing in the council is thereby in question.

ETHEL KIMBALL

Is Now Located in Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 14.—Mrs. John P. H. Kimball, mother of Miss Ethel Kimball, the stenographer, whose disappearance simultaneously with that of her employer, Edwin F. Lang, caused a sensation a month ago, said yesterday that she had received a letter from her missing daughter.

According to her statement the letter was dated in a Mexican city and says that the writer sailed from New York to Havana and had visited other southern ports before reaching Mexico, and that the trip would consume about three months, ending at Cincinnati, where she would make her home.

She signed herself Mrs. E. F. Lalley, and said she had not heard from Haverhill since she left.

Mrs. Kimball says she does not know who E. F. Lalley is.

She has said her daughter was engaged to a New York man, and at first suggested that the disappearance might be for the purpose of meeting this man, but she is convinced that he and Lalley are not identical.

Another mystery in the case has been the presence of a New York private detective in Haverhill for the past few days making inquiries about the case, but declining to reveal the name of his employer or the motive of his investigation.

Mrs. Lang, the deserted wife of the manufacturer, has heard nothing from her husband since his departure and has taken no steps to have him followed.

BRIDGE UNSAFE

OLD CHAIN STRUCTURE AT AMESBURY WEAKENING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWBURYPORT, Aug. 14.—E. P. Shaw, Jr., superintendent of the Citizens' electric railway company, yesterday had his attention called to the weakness of the approach and roadway of the chain bridge, which crosses the Merrimac river, between Newburyport and Deer Island on the main line to Amesbury. A report of the state engineer was also enclosed.

Wednesday afternoon Mr. Shaw with Mayor Carens visited the bridge and although it appeared perfectly safe, it was decided to have an examination by an engineer. Today Engineer Rogers of the Citizens' line came here and after an examination advised the company to stop running cars over the bridge.

He said that the approach must be entirely rebuilt and that when a car runs over the bridge there is nothing between the stringers to support the car except the rails and that the stringers are not near enough for safety. One cross-piece is badly split and a car was likely to go into the river.

An effort was made to reach the county commissioners and consult with them, but without avail.

Yesterday noon cars were stopped from crossing. This side of the chain bridge was rebuilt three years ago and has been regarded as perfectly safe.

HIS WIFE GONE

HIS MONEY ALSO IS MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Aug. 14.—Mrs. Antonetta Cappola, aged 35 years, wife of Saverco Cappola of this city, has eloped, it is believed, with her star boarder, Angelo Giaquinto, aged 20 years, taking with her about $1000 in money and valuables belonging to her husband and friends.

Giaquinto has been in the country a short time, and was given a home and job by Cappola. Yesterday Cappola returned home to find his $300 and watch and other valuables gone, as well as his wife and the newly arrived Italian.

Louis Terelia formerly boarded with the Cappolas, and he gave into Mrs. Cappola's keeping all his money, $450. This also has disappeared. It is thought the couple have gone to St. Louis.

FAMILY FEUD

LED UP TO KILLING OF JOHN HANCOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 14—Jim McCoy yesterday shot and killed John Hancock, five miles south of Ozark, the result of a family feud of years' standing. McCoy, who is a son of the late Capt. John McCoy, a noted antebellum politician of Missouri, was arrested.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14—A libel for a divorce has been filed by Ellen Walsh against John W. Walsh in the Suffolk county superior court, and the court has ordered an attachment of the property of the libellee in the sum of $20,000.

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Ladies' Oxfords Only 75c

Red Canvas, with rubber soles and heels. Were $1.50 a pair.

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Patent leather and colt skin, with welt sole, sizes 1 to 3, A and B widths. Regular price $2.50 a pair.

Children's Oxfords Only 49c

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Kid skin, with patent leather tips, sizes 12 to 2. Were 49c a pair.

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Can it be possible as rumored that General Wood, recently plain Dr. Wood, is to take the place of Governor Taft of the Philippines?

The relief work for the explosion sufferers goes on apace. An appeal has been sent out to papers throughout the state. It is hoped that it will bear fruit.

Tonight Jim Corbett seeks a further proof of his lost powers as a pugilist. It requires a knockout blow from the champion, Jeffries, to convince Corbett beyond peradventure that his boxing days are over.

The trail of the great explosion can be traced into the office of every lawyer in town. Once the responsibility is fixed the claims for damages will pour in mayhap with overwhelming effect upon the guilty parties.

Between the state and metropolitan police and the newspapers Revere beach has been greatly damaged as a summer resort and still the fight goes on. In this respect the beach reservation and the town are not to be confounded.

Judge Emmons has issued an order authorizing an officer to use his revolver whenever molested by anybody in the discharge of his duty. Emmons knows not nor does he seem to care to what extent this authority may be used unwarrantably to the detriment of the general public.

Alas for the West Indies! Martinique, St. Vincent and Guadaloupe have had their terrible visitations and now Jamaica has been swept by a cyclone. In the olden time it would have been said that these islands had surely incurred the direst wrath of the gods.

William S. Allen, who as treasurer of the Methodist Preachers' Aid society, embezzled $136,000, has a heavy responsibility resting upon his shoulders. No doubt many a poor struggling preacher was subjected to hardship, privation and indignity through Allen's pilfering. The money subscribed to help such men went into the maws of the stock jobbers. If Allen be caught an example should be made of him.

TIMELY PRECAUTION NECESSARY.

The Paris horror in which two trains were burned in an underground tunnel and a great many lives lost by suffocation and otherwise, may well engage the attention of every large city in the world in which subways or tunnels are used for public travel. A similar catastrophe is likely to occur in any of the tunnels unless extra precautions be exercised.

The great explosion and its terrible effect in death and disaster caused many cities to move powder magazines to a safe distance. In a similar way should the Paris horror cause the metropolitan cities to guard against such catastrophes by timely precautions.

Boston is constructing a tunnel to East Boston and she has her subways besides. If a car or a number of cars caught fire in the subway, it is doubtful if the ventilation would be sufficient to prevent the suffocation of all the passengers. It is stated that the New York tunnel is not a whit more safe than the Paris tunnel in which the disaster occurred. If this be so it is time some steps were taken by that city to provide for the public safety.

Such horrors although bringing death and suffering to the victims bear a useful lesson to the entire world and to all succeeding ages on defects of construction in the tunnel and in the mechanism by which the fire was started.

It is true that the disaster could easily have been averted had intelligent judgment been exercised but on the contrary it rested with a man who did not seem to realize the responsibility placed in his hands, to say that nothing was to be feared when he was told to stop to avert accident.

GENERAL MILES TO THE FORE.

General Miles is being talked of for head of the Grand Army and no doubt he will be selected for that honor. No other general in the United States today can show such a record of valor in such a long line of battles as can General Miles. He passed through the terrific battles of the Civil war and every war that this country has seen since with the exception of the Philippine, if that can be called a war.

In recent years his record has excited the envy of some small men such as General Alger who lost no opportunity of snubbing and belittling Miles. During the war with Cuba Alger kept Miles in the rear and pushed his favorite, the bloated General Shafter, to the front by putting him in charge of the army. All Shafter could do was to lie in his hammock four or five miles to the rear of the army, whereas had Miles been the commander he would have been with his men on the firing line and a different story would have been told of the result.

Even the simplest details of that skirmish—it did not deserve the name real war when the battles of the civil war are to be considered—were so mismanaged that the army became the laughing stock of the world. The only piece of generalship shown was that conducted by General Miles in Porto Rico. While trying to belittle Miles and to disregard his counsel, Alger so mismanaged things that hundreds of lives were lost as a result of unsanitary conditions and improper food. The responsibility for the "embalmed beef" spoken of by General Miles was laid at Alger's door and after a good deal of bantering he was driven into retirement.

The present administration has in a quiet way followed the course pursued by Alger but did not carry it to extremes. Gen. Miles was regarded as a dangerous man politically. That is why he was snubbed by Alger and subsequently by Root. He would have been removed by President Roosevelt but for the danger of his appearing as an opposition candidate for the presidency. He is now a free man disentangled from the restraint and the responsibility of official position. He is free to speak and to act according to his judgment and is in all respects a man who from his long, valiant and honorable services to his country as a soldier deserves to be honored by the people of the United States.

President Roosevelt was elected vice president on his war record. He fired a few shots at San Juan hill and among other acts of daring shot down a fleeing defenseless Spaniard. That is the extent of his triumphs as a warrior and a rough rider. Compared with Miles as a man and a patriot Roosevelt, the politician appears very small indeed.

In regard to statesmanship, of course it is outside the province of both men, but in a political contest between the two, we believe the people would be inclined to honor Miles. It is for this reason that Miles is now and has been feared by Roosevelt as he was feared by the small fry of which Alger is the most despicable type. Although retired and advanced in years Miles is still energetic enough to assert himself in politics and throw a few bombshells into the republican camp.

SEEN AND HEARD

It is very evident that people do not always say what they mean when they are excited or anything is bothering them. A local undertaker tells the following story which goes to prove the above assertion: I was called to a house one day to take care of the body of a woman who died and upon arriving at the house I encountered three women who were weeping most bitterly and several other women, presumably neighbors, who were trying to console them. One of the women in the room knowing me tapped one of the members of the family on the shoulder and said: "This is the undertaker." The woman who was a sister of the deceased came up to me and while wiping the tears with her handkerchief held out her right hand to me and said: "I am glad to see you."

Speaking of undertakers there is another story going the rounds which is perfectly true and one which undertakers encounter very often. While some people will buy habits and suits from the undertaker in which to dress the deceased, many people have a suit belonging to the deceased placed on the body. A local undertaker tells of going to a house once and after measuring the body told the woman to have the underclothing and suit ready to place on the body when he came back with the casket. He returned in about an hour and the woman seemed to be worried about something. When the undertaker asked for the clothing she brought out two suits of clothes and said to the man: "Now these are both good suits, but I believe that this brown one will wear better than the black one."

REV. EDWARD FOWLER

MADE DOMESTIC PRELATE TO THE POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 11—The pope received Cardinal Satolli yesterday who inquired regarding the appointment of a new secretary of state in succession to Cardinal Rampolla and again suggested Vincenzo Vannutelli as the best fitted for the position. Cardinal Satolli then proposed the appointment of Father Edward Fowler, secretary to the Rev. J. J. Harty as a domestic prelate to the pontiff, which post carries with it the title of monsignor. The pope granted the request. Cardinal Gibbons will come to Rome Friday to assist at the consecration on Saturday of the Rev. J. J. Harty as archbishop of Manila.

PLOT DISCOVERED

MURDER OF PRESIDENT OF SAN-TO DOMINGO PLANNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Dispatches from Santo Domingo say that a plot to murder General Alejandro Wos Y Gil, the president, has been discovered and that there have been many arrests.

President Wos Y Gil overthrew the former president, General Horatio Vasquez, at the time of the revolution last spring and proclaimed himself president, being subsequently elected. His election was proclaimed by congress July 22.

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A NEW CHAMPION

Neil Knocked Out Harry Forbes

BLOW IN STOMACH DID THE TRICK

End Came in Second Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Frank C. Neil of San Francisco won the bantam weight championship of the world last night when he landed a left swing in the pit of Harry Forbes' stomach in the second round of a scheduled twenty-round fight. Forbes by virtue of holding the championship was a two to one favorite in the betting, but Neil in spite of that fact, had many local supporters. In the first round of the fight no effective blows were landed until Forbes who appeared in splendid condition began to show himself as the heavier boxer of the two, but he could not land effectively.

When they came up for the second round Neil slashed out with his left and landed a terrific punch on Forbes' stomach. The ex-champion doubled up like a jackknife and fell over backward. He lay in the corner of the ring gasping for breath but managed to get up before ten seconds were counted. Neil went at his man like a young tiger and rained a shower of blows on the almost defenceless Forbes. Another punch in the stomach sent Forbes down again and Referee Graney counted him out. Neil evidently did not hear the end of the count for as Forbes struggled to his feet Neil landed another on the jaw and sent his man under the ropes. There was a vigorous cry of foul from the Forbes people, but as the man had already been counted out it was of no avail. Johnny Regan of St. Louis challenged the winner.

HORSE THIEF

PLACED UNDER ARREST IN SOUTHBRIDGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 14.—A special from Southbridge says:

Wilfred Amoyt, 23, of Woonsocket, R. I., charged with stealing two horses from Stephen Howland of South Woodstock, Conn., was arrested yesterday afternoon in Southbridge, and both horses and a buggy which was stolen, were recovered. Amoyt admits his guilt.

BURNED TO CRISP

LITTLE BOY HAD BEEN SMOKING CIGARETTES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 14.—John Thornton, aged 10 years was burned to a crisp at his home in North Londonderry six miles from this city, yesterday afternoon, the feet being burned completely off. The boy had been smoking cigarettes and it is supposed that the little shanty near the house caught fire from a match which he may have thrown down. Presumably he went in to attempt to extinguish the flames when he was suffocated and perished in the flames.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

COUNCILMAN FEAS DESPONDENT FOR SOME TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Aug. 14.—Andrew Feas, 32, a member of the common council, committed suicide in the woods near his home yesterday afternoon by shooting himself four times and then stabbing himself and cutting his throat with a knife. He had been despondent for some days. A searching party found his body yesterday.

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MAYOR HOWE

WILL PLAY IN TALL HAT CRICKET GAME.

U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic Asso. will hold its annual tall hat game on the Wigginville grounds tomorrow, Aug. 15, when one of the most laughable games will be seen in a year by men who are termed "has beens" or never has beens and everbody who witnessed last year's game of the "Two Georges" knows what a good time they had.

There will be all kinds of sports including 100-yard dash for men, 100-yard dash for boys, egg and spoon races, potato race, obstacle race, races for single and married women and a fat man's race for men over 45 years, for which suitable prizes will be given.

After the games dancing will be indulged in to the music of Griffith's band, which will also give a concert during the afternoon, and the grounds will be beautifully illuminated with Japanese lanterns. A full list of the players is as follows:

George Ainsley, George Kitchener, M. Dugan, Wm. Wilkinson, C. W. Needham, J. P. Walsh, J. H. Barry, J. J. O'Connell, Wm. Hardy, T. H. Boyle, Joe Marsden, John M. Dunphy, J. G. Birtwell, Tom Whitaker, Chas. McAskell, John Crawford, John Carson, Alfred Kay, James Smith, J. Murray, Fred Rourke, Cath Asquith, J. McElholm, James Terry, Joseph Rawnsley, W. Riley, Fred Law, T. I. Moore, Wm. Fitzpatrick, George Fox.

Mayor Howe has signified his intention to be present and bowl the first over in the game.

STINSON INJURED

BICYCLE RIDER FELL FROM HIS WHEEL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 14.—After riding a mile and a quarter in the first heat of a three cornered motor paced race, Stinson had a fall as the tire of his front wheel came off. He was cut in several places but no bones were broken. Harry Caldwell was given the heat. Stinson defeated Benny Munroe in the second heat by three fourths of a lap. Time, 7:28 2-5. Caldwell easily beat Stinson in the final heat, passing him three times. Time 7:22. Marcus Hurley from scratch, won the two mile amateur handicap in 4:15 4-5; Fred Ernst (30) was second and C. L. Hollister of Springfield (30) was third. Attendance—2500.

GOVERNOR PEABODY

WILL NOT RECALL WARRANT FOR BURTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 14.—Gov. Peabody yesterday refused to recall the warrant granted by him for the extradition to Massachusetts of Francis L. Burton, a mining man, who has been convicted in the Massachusetts courts of having obtained $2500 under false pretences from the Boston and Albany railroad company. A writ of habeas corpus was secured in the district court to prevent Burton being hurried out of the state. This will have to be disposed of before he can be taken east. After sentence is passed upon him, application will be made to the governor of Massachusetts for a pardon for him.

MRS. STEVENS

NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE MAINE HIGH LICENSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, national and state president of the Women's Christian Temperance union, who recently returned from Geneva, Switzerland, where she addressed the world's convention, said she never expected to see Maine become a high license state.

She does not believe an attempt will be made at the coming special session of the legislature to bring up the question of re-submission. Advice received by the W. C. T. U. leaders denotes that the legislature will re-submit the question to the people.

She said a secret conference was held yesterday of the workers attending the New England inter-state institute at Old Orchard, where the different temperance organizations throughout the states as well as the grangers were urged to work in securing proper enforcement in Maine.

JUDGE EMMONS

WANTS AN INCREASE OF $1000 A YEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Judge Emmons, chairman of the board of police commissioners, asked for an increase in salary of $1000 a year for himself and each of his colleagues at a special legislative hearing at the state house yesterday. Judge Emmons advocated that the money received from dog licenses which now is divided among the commissioners as part of their salary should be paid into the city treasury. The hearing was before a special legislative committee appointed to consider the question of abolishing court fees.

SOME CYCLE NEWS

Of Interest to the Wheelmen

"Kramer is about the last man most people would have picked out to win a six-day race, even one with such short riding periods as that at Providence," remarked an old racing man who has followed the game since the days of the high wheel. "And yet it merely goes to show that a man never knows what he can do until he tries.

"Now, there was Arthur Zimmerman. No one would ever have picked him as a man to excel in anything but the style of racing in which he scored nearly all of his triumphs—that is, from the quarter up to five miles. But the year the 'Jersey Skeeter' carried off most of the English championships—all that he started in, if I remember correctly—he turned from winning the mile on one day to the fifty mile on the following one, and won it just as easily as he did the others. He had never undergone any special training for such a long distance, but he learned that all the best English riders tried to scoop the long as well as the short distance championships, and he made up his mind that if Osmond and the rest of them could do this he could also.

"So he extended his practice spins, putting in five or ten miles after doing some sprinting, and once he rode about twenty or twenty-five miles. But until he started in the race he had never gone anywhere near fifty miles at speed, and he was about the only one in the American camp who had faith in his lasting qualities. Bless you, though, he lasted all right, and won just about as easy as he did any of the other races."

"It was much the same way with poor Harry Elkes. I remember well when he made his first big coup. It was back in the late 90's—about '97, if memory serves, and Tom Linton was in the heyday of his glory. He and Elkes were matched to ride an hour behind pace at Philadelphia. Elkes being an eleventh hour selection, the man originally picked for the purpose having been hurt or something of the kind. Up to that time Harry had been dubbing around, riding sprint races and slowly making his way up toward the front. But he was very far from being a top notcher even in the sprints, and as for long distance plugging—well, no one had ever given him a thought in that connection.

"I think the race took place at the Willow Grove track, then only built a short time. Linton's only anxiety was to have Elkes make a respectable showing, and he prepared to take things easy so as to put some heart in the Glens Falls boy and not make it a runaway at the start. But it proved to be almost that, only the shoe was on the other foot. Elkes took the bit in his teeth almost at the pistol fire, and, getting a slight lead before Linton knew what was happening to him, he kept on and widened the gap until he had lapped the Welshman repeatedly.

"The news went all over the country, and Elkes jumped at once into the position he ever afterward retained. He was a long distance star of the first magnitude, while that night—it was a Saturday night—Linton's decline began. He was never able to do as well after that, although he tried hard and for several years was able to keep pretty near the top.

"To return to Kramer, I think that he shows that a good man can shine at any distance. It is all a matter of training and of confidence. Let a man think he can do a thing, and make some preparation for it, and the chances are that he will win out."

Take two men of equal speed. One of them will beat the other on the track, and the defeated one will turn the tables. A well known racing man who has studied this problem claims that the ankle throw causes it, and illustrates his point as follows: The track man rides with the pedals set well toward the toe, thus giving him great sprinting power and a much longer ankle throw. The road rider's pedal is fixed well toward the middle of the foot, giving him greater power, most of the work being done by the thigh. If a path man wants to hold his own he will have to move the cleats on his shoes half an inch further back, and he will be surprised at the result. To the road rider who aspires to fame on the path: Move your cleats forward or have the toeclips well back.

BEST WORLD'S RECORD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—"Major" Taylor yesterday reduced the world's bicycle record for 300 metres from 18 4-5 seconds to 18 seconds at the Velodrome Buffalo.

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PUBLIC FUNERAL

NINETEEN VICTIMS OF PARIS DISASTER BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—An imposing public funeral was held at the prefecture yesterday of nineteen victims of the Metropolitan railroad tunnel catastrophe, whose bodies were unclaimed. Premier Combes delivered a short address, promising measures of relief for the families of the victims, while the president of the municipality spoke of the universal sympathy displayed throughout the world. The bodies were then borne to Notre Dame cathedral, where the religious ceremony was held and afterwards interred in various cemeteries.

COMMUNICATION.

Mr. Editor:

Readers of the local newspapers will see articles about the trustees of the Edson cemetery now and then, how much they are doing in beautifying the city's cemetery and how kind it was of them to give a deed to an old lady at the old lady's home without it costing her one cent, while Tommy Dickson, the blind man, who earns an honest dollar by the selling of lead pencils, etc., had to pay $15 for his lot recently and he hasn't got his deed yet. Then you will read again that the trustees are getting very kind and generous and are going to have a soldiers' lot where all the bodies of the old soldiers of the civil war who now lie in their last rest in different parts of the burial ground are to be removed body and bones in this beautiful spot. The little town of Lawrence, down the river, has had for the last 25 years a soldiers' lot. The little city's cemetery trustees didn't wait 40 years to find a burial place for all of the friendless old soldiers like other cities of 100,000 inhabitants have done. The wrong doings of the management of the Edson cemetery can be placed by the voters on the republican party. I have had a mother buried there since 1871 and for the last five years I have been trying to reclaim my lot. The trustees say they can seize lots and remove bodies from them whenever they like. Who gave them all of this power? The state didn't. The book of acts and resolves of Mass., 1891, which can be seen in the public library by calling for it in the reference room, don't say so. What it does say a school boy of 12 years can understand. "The trustees," it says, "of which there shall be three, are to have the care, management and superintendence of all city cemeteries." It doesn't say the trustees have the right to rob the lot owners of their dead or to threaten to do so. For the last 50 years up to a few months ago it was thoroughly understood by all the older grantees that they had a bona fide claim to their lots when they took them up. Now the present trustees want to make the owners out as squatters. The act of May 16, 1891, regarding public burial grounds don't make any changes in my opinion in regard to the claims of the lot holders. What the state granted was a privilege to go outside the cemetery fence and buy land and seize it if necessary and to pay its owner a legal value but never to take lots away from the living where their dead lies buried. The bible says let the dead rest, but perhaps the trustees of the cemetery never heard of the bible.

F. A. ROLFE.

CLERK SMITH ARRESTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 14.—Edmund J. Smith, former discount clerk in the Merchants National bank of this city, who is accused of having stolen $20,000 from the bank and who disappeared about two weeks ago, has been arrested in Williamson, Va. A detective will leave at once to bring him back.

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FINE FIELDING

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A bad fourth inning put Lawrence out of the running at Spalding park yesterday but during the rest of the game the down river boys worked continuously and hence the exhibition was interesting throughout, while four sharp double plays and a couple of sensational catches and fielding plays gave the audience ample opportunity to enthuse.

Some 1500 turned out and it was one of the most enthusiastic crowds seen in a long time. They were ready to cheer any good play and were given a chance.

Lawrence hit Hooker harder than Lowell hit Beard but Hooker kept them scattered while Lowell's were more timely. Then Lawrence made errors at the wrong time while Lowell's misplays did no damage except to fielding records.

The game in detail:

Sammy Bernard was the first up and Buck walked him. O'Hara knocked any number of fouls down the first base line and Buck fanned him. Bernard stole second. Valdois died between McLaughlin and Lake. Murch got a hand as he stepped up and Hooker got one as he struck him out.

For Lowell, Hafford couldn't fathom Beard's benders and struck out. Bigbie flied to O'Hara. Merritt hit to Valdois and was out at first.

Second inning: Conroy caught a high one and made a single. Klobe sacrificed to Lake. Gene Hart lifted the ball to left center for two bases, scoring the giant. Coveney hit one to the left field fence that looked like a dead sure two bagger but Bigbie made a sensational running catch and Coveney was out. Beard hit to Connors and was third out.

For Lowell, Coveney made a great running catch of Lake's foul fly. Grant had a walk to first. Grant stole second and the pitch being wild took third. He scored on McLaughlin's single. Connors placed a single in right, sending Barney to third. Cross sent a fly over Bernard's head but Sammy caught it and nailed Connors off first.

Score, one up.

Third inning: Bernard opened with a clean single by first base. O'Hara bunted to Lake and Connors covered second. The Lawrence crowd called Sullivan "a bum" on the decision but O'Hara admitted that he was out. Valdois foul flied to Merritt and Murch flied to Bigbie. In Lowell's half, Hooker fanned out, Hafford died, Murch to Conroy. Bigbie was the next victim to fan.

Fourth inning: Conroy batted a fly into Grant's hands. Klobedanz hit over Bigbie's head but in rounding first base Kloby fell all over himself and he only got one base on the hit. Klobey was hurt and Bunyan ran for him. Hart popped a foul fly to Merritt. Coveney hit a grounder that belonged to McLaughlin but Hafford butted in with one hand and Coveney got a hit that didn't belong to him. Beard died, Hooker to Lake. For Lowell, Merritt singled and got second on a wild pitch. Valdois fumbled Lake's grounder. Grant bunted to Beard who fumbled and the bases were filled. McLaughlin's best was a foul fly to Coveney. After Coveney and Beard had had a long talk together Connors flied to Hart and Merritt scored. Cross then knocked a two-bagger that scored Lake and Grant. Hooker hit to Beard and died at first.

Score, Lowell 4; Lawrence, 1.

Fifth inning: Benard fanned out. Everyone thought O'Hara had a safe hit back of second but Billy Connors did some great sprinting and gobbled the ball. He had hardly got back when Valdois hit a line drive and Billy grabbed that.

At this point Klobedanz retired from the game and Bunyan took his place in right field. Hafford flied to Conroy. Bigbie died, Valdois to Conroy. Merritt got four bad ones. He started to steal second just as Lake hit to Murch for three out.

Sixth inning: Murch died on a grounder to McLaughlin. Conroy singled to center. Bunyan hit to McLaughlin and a double play resulted.

For Lowell, Grant got first on a bad throw by Murch and he promptly stole second. He scored on McLaughlin's little single to left by great running, while Barney got to second on the throw home. Connors in trying to sacrifice bunted into Beard's hands and McLaughlin was doubled at second. Cross fanned.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 1.

Seventh inning: Hart got a single to left and Bigbie's fumble gave him second. Coveney went out, Connors to Lake. Beard went out the same way but Hart scored. Bernard put a fly over first base and Connors got it. In Lowell's half Hooker went out, Valdois to Conroy. Hafford drew a base on balls. Bigbie got a crack in the arm. Merritt flied to Bernard. Lake finished the inning, Bernard to Conroy.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 2.

Eighth inning: O'Hara died. Connors to Lake. Valdois went to second on a bad throw by Hafford. Murch got first on an excusable error by Bigbie. But Conroy hit to McLaughlin and Barney made a pretty double play. For Lowell, Grant went out, Murch to Conroy, and so did McLaughlin. Connors flied to Valdois.

Ninth inning: Bunyan flied to Cross. Hart fanned out. Coveney got a scratch hit. Beard made a two bagger that scored Coveney, but Bernard died, Connors to Lake.

The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bigbie lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
Merritt c	3	1	1	1	6	0	0
Lake 1b	4	1	0	0	11	1	0
Grant m	2	3	0	0	1	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	2	3	2	4	0
Connors 2b	4	0	1	1	4	5	0
Cross rf	3	0	1	2	1	0	0
Hooker p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	5	5	6	27	11	3

LAWRENCE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Bernard 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	0
O'Hara lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Valdois ss	4	0	0	0	2	3	1
Murch 3b	4	0	0	0	0	4	1
Conroy 1b	4	1	2	2	11	0	0
Klobedanz rf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Bunyan rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hart m	4	1	2	3	1	0	0
Coveney c	4	1	2	2	6	0	0
Beard p	4	0	1	2	1	2	1
Totals	31	3	9	11	24	11	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	*	5
Lawrence	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3

Summary: Earned runs, Lawrence 2. Two base hits, Cross, Hart, Beard. Stolen bases, Grant 2, Merritt, Lake, Bernard. Sacrifice hits, Grant, O'Hara, Klobedanz. Double plays, McLaughlin and Lake 2, Bernard and Conroy, Beard and Valdois. Bases on balls, off Hooker, off Beard 3. Struck out, by Hooker 4, by Beard 4. Wild pitch, Beard 2. Passed ball, Merritt. Hit by pitched ball, Bigbie. Time of game, 1.45. Umpire, Sullivan. Attendance, 1500.

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FALL RIVER WON BOTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Aug. 14.—Fall River took both games of a double-header from Manchester yesterday afternoon, scoring a shut out in the second game. The champions could do nothing with Gilroy in the first game, while Fall River batted Morrissey out of the box. The latter's support was not of the best, however.

In the second game Courneen was very effective, keeping hits well scattered, while Whiting was found easily by the local batsmen. Sensational fielding features were contributed by Bowden, O'Hara and Ball.

Scores by innings:

(First Game.)

Fall River .....0 0 0 4 0 2 0 0 x—6
Manchester .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned runs—Fall River. Two base hits—O'Hara, Warren, Leith. Three base hit—Kane. Stolen bases—O'Hara, Rapp. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Morrissey 2, off Gilroy 2. Struck out—By Gilroy 2, by Morrissey 1, by Leith 4. Wild pitch—Morrissey. Time—1.37. Umpire—Jordan.

(Second Game).

Fall River .....0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 x—4

Earned run—Fall River. Two base hits—Bowden, Moorehead, Ball, Clark. Three base hit—Tott. Stolen bases—Bowcock, Lawrence. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Whiting 1, off Courneen 3. Hit by pitched balls—Warren, Courneen. Struck out—By Whiting 4. Time—1.41. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—2100.

CONCORD 6, NEW BEDFORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 14.—The home team could not hit McCarthy yesterday, and not a run was scored by Doe's players. Foxen was not pitching his best and hits, bases on balls and errors all contributed to an easy victory for the visitors. Four hits, each in a different inning, were all that the local players made, for McCarthy pitched effectively and he had good support. The home team had two men on bases in the last inning with none out but it was impossible to make a single run.

Score by innings:

Concord ..... 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 2 x—6

Earned runs—Concord 1. Two base hits—Nobiitt, Eustace, Eaton. Stolen bases—Kane, Eustace, Mullaney. First base on balls—By Foxen 3, by McCarthy 1. First base on errors Concord 2, New Bedford 2. Hit by pitched ball—Kane, Nobiitt. Passed balls—Burrill, Eaton. Wild pitch—McCarthy. Struck out—By McCarthy 5, by Foxen 5. Time—1.20. Umpire—Webster. Attendance—650.

NASHUA 6, HAVERHILL 5.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 14.—Nashua and Haverhill were to have played a double header yesterday afternoon, but as the first game lasted 15 innings the second was postponed until today. It was Haverhill's game up to the ninth, when through a two base hit by McLean and a single by Daum the score was tied.

Both teams scored in the 14th and in the last five innings it was much of a question of endurance on the part of the pitchers. Daum scored the winning run through an error by Richardson. Sheets made a pretty running catch in the 15th inning.

Score by innings:

Nashua	0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1—6
Haverhill	0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—5

Earned runs—Nashua 3, Haverhill 1. Two base hits—McLean, Daum, Richardson. Three base hit—McLean. Stolen bases—Jordan, Ashenbach 2, Calhoun. First base on balls—Off Gokey 2. Hit by pitched balls—Wilson, Gokey. Struck out—By Gokey 8, by Deininger 5. Time—2.55. Umpire—Kerins. Attendance—600.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:

At Detroit—(First game) Boston 3, Detroit 1. (Second game) Detroit 10, Boston 1.

At Cleveland—(First game) Cleveland 5, New York 2. (Second game) Cleveland 8, New York 2.

At Washington — Washington-St. Louis game postponed, rain.

At Chicago—Philadelphia 5, Chicago 1.

NATIONAL:

At Boston—Chicago 7, Boston 3.
At Brooklyn—Pittsburg 12, Brooklyn 6.
At New York—(First game) New York 6, St. Louis 2. (Second game) New York 9, St. Louis 7.

EASTERN:

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Providence 4.
At Toronto—Toronto 7, Montreal 1.
At Jersey City—Jersey City 13, Rochester 4.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	51	32	.614
Lowell	52	35	.598
Concord	46	36	.561
Nashua	47	37	.560
Fall River	42	42	.500
New Bedford	40	42	.488
Lawrence	35	42	.456
Haverhill	22	60	.268

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	61	32	.567
New York	59	37	.615
Chicago	60	41	.594
Cincinnati	51	45	.532
Brooklyn	44	50	.468
Boston	39	52	.429
St. Louis	35	65	.357
Philadelphia	31	61	.356

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	61	36	.625
Philadelphia	55	41	.573
Cleveland	52	46	.535
New York	47	45	.522
Detroit	47	45	.511
St. Louis	42	44	.492
Chicago	42	52	.442
Washington	29	61	.312

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Lawrence.
Manchester at Fall River.
Concord at New Bedford.
Nashua at Haverhill.

Bushey and Long will be the pitchers at Glen Forest today. If Long isn't right Klobedanz will officiate.

We're right after Manchester and the champs have four more games to play than we have. We'll get that pennant yet.

The York Beach team defeated the Dover Reds by a score of 2 to 0 yesterday. On the York team were Herb. Jr., and O. Webster, Gruver Feis, Walter Muzzey and Hutch Parker, all of Lowell, and Herb. Webster, Sr. umpired.

Manager Lake made a bid for Spalding park in the recent sale but when he saw that Mr. Cawley was going after it to get it he stopped at $2200.

Manager Lake is trying to get the Chicago Nationals and the Boston Americans here before the season closes.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK

LEAGUE GAME.

SATURDAY—NASHUA vs. LOWELL.

Game Called at 3.[illegible] o'clock.

Admission 25c.

BRIDGE STREETERS WON

DEFEATED LAKEVIEW AVENUES AT LAWN PARTY.

At St. Mary's lawn party, Collinsville, yesterday, the Bridge street merchants defeated the Lakeview avenue business men by a score of 6 to 2 in a six-inning game. The score was as follows:

BRIDGE STREET.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
J. Foye c	4	0	2	13	2	0
McCarthy p	2	1	0	0	11	0
Kelly 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
O'Brien 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Keith ss	3	2	3	2	1	0
Hubin 3b	3	1	2	0	0	1
R. McKenzie rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hurd m	3	0	0	0	0	0
Landry lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	27	6	8	18	18	2

LAKEVIEW AVENUE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
McGuane c	4	1	0	9	0	0
McKenzie p	3	0	1	0	8	0
Noonan 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
McNeil lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Burns 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
McGrath ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
McKenna m	2	0	0	0	1	0
W. Foye 3b	2	1	2	1	0	1
Blinkhorn rf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	21	2	23	18	10	2

Two base hits, Kelly, Foye, Keith. Home runs, Keith, R. McKenzie. Base on balls, McCarthy, McGrath. Struck out, McKenzie 8, McCarthy 13. Umpire, Lyons.

The Independents defeated the Atlantics by the score of 8 to 7 last week and the latter team was not satisfied that we, the Independents, were their superiors, so another game was agreed to be played, with the understanding that each team would patch in for a quarter half and the winner to take half. The game had not progressed very far when Charley Curran, manager of the Atlantics saw that his hot air team was in for a good drubbing and he at once stole the ball and ran home with it. He is a tin can sport and he can keep the ball if he wants to, for we have won more base balls than we will be able to use this season. We would like to arrange games with teams under 12 years of age. Send challenges to Fred Callahan, 85 Agawam street.

The Sunnysides and Groves will meet tomorrow and a hot game may be looked for. Nelson will do the twirling for the Groves and Donohue for the Sunnysides.

WON CANADA CUP

AMERICAN BOAT TOOK THE DECIDING RACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 14—The Irondequoit, the American challenger for the Canada's cup yesterday won the deciding race of the series, thus wresting the trophy from across the water. It will now rest in the Rochester Yacht club until some Canadian boat shall bring it back.

Yesterday's race was a triangular one, seven miles to a leg.

Hanhan on the Irondequoit had the better of Jarvis on the Strathcona in jockeying for the start and the American yacht went flying across the line with a small lead, which she increased steadily to the first mark.

The Strathcona gained 30 seconds on her rival on the second leg.

The credit for the victory is accorded by all to Arthur Hanhan of New York, the Corinthian sailor who was called here to take charge after the professional skipper, Captain Barr, had lost the first two races.

Mr. Hanhan won three races, wresting the cup from Canada.

The summaries:

	Start	First Buoy	Second Buoy	Finish
Irondequoit	11:15:00	12:17:50	1:42:27	2:40:55
Strathcona	11:15:30	12:19:20	1:43:29	2:42:15

Starting gun 11:15.

IN TWO EVENTS

THE FAVORITES WON AT ROCHESTER RACES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 14—The races at the closing day of the Rochester fair meeting at Cold Springs park yesterday were well contested. Favorites won in two of the events. In the 2.36 class, pacing, Deerfoot, owned by E. F. Fox of Franklin, N. H., dropped dead after finishing fourth in the last heat. The horse fell against the fence about 100 feet on the finishing side of the wire.

Summaries:

Free for all; purse $300.

Princess Mogiette, bm (Page)	4	1	1	1
Louise G., bm (Merrill)	1	2	4	2
Dumont W., bg (Barnes)	3	4	2	3
John T., ch g (Bowser)	2	3	3	4

Time, 2.12½, 2.12½, 2.12¾, 2 H.

2.13 class, trotting; purse $500.

Ralph Wilkes, bg (Riley)	1	1	1
Gene D., bm (Johnson)	2	2	2
Alkalone, bs (Davis)	3	3	3

Time, 2.15½, 2.16¾, 2.20½.

2.35 pacing; purse $500.

Wilkes Brino, rg (Palmer)	1	1	1
Deerfoot, bg (Fox)	2	2	4
Ephraim, bg (Merrill)	4	4	2
Lady Differetic, gm (George)	3	3	3
Alphonso, bg (Ganzoni)	5	5	5

Time, 2.26, 2.23, 2.21¼.

COUNCILMAN KEARNS

HAS NOT BEEN UNSEATED AS YET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROCKTON, Aug. 14.—The proposed movement to unseat Councilman Andrew J. Kearns, socialist, of ward 5, failed at the meeting of the common council last evening. President George A. Monk refused to allow an order declaring the seat of Mr. Kearns vacant to come before the body. He read it and declared it not eligible for consideration by the body.

Councilman A. B. Butman, who presented the order, appealed from the decision, but the ruling of the chair was sustained. In speaking to the question Councilman Butman said it was his purpose to have the order referred to the committee of elections and returns, if to investigate and report.

The assessors have refused to assess Mr. Kearns this year, declaring his legal residence to be in Natick, and his legal standing in the council is thereby in question.

ETHEL KIMBALL

Is Now Located in Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 14.—Mrs. John F. B. Kimball, mother of Miss Ethel Kimball, the stenographer, whose disappearance simultaneously with that of her employer, Edwin F. Lang, caused a sensation a month ago, said yesterday that she had received a letter from her missing daughter.

According to her statement the letter was dated in a Mexican city and says that the writer sailed from New York to Havana and had visited other southern ports before reaching Mexico, and that the trip would consume about three months, ending at Cincinnati, where she would make her home.

She signed herself Mrs. E. F. Lalley, and said she had not heard from Haverhill since she left.

Mrs. Kimball says she does not know who E. F. Lalley is.

She has said her daughter was engaged to a New York man, and at first suggested that the disappearance might be for the purpose of meeting this man, but she is convinced that he and Lalley are not identical.

Another mystery in the case has been the presence of a New York private detective in Haverhill for the past few days making inquiries about the case, but declining to reveal the name of his employer or the motive of his investigation.

Mrs. Lang, the deserted wife of the manufacturer, has heard nothing from her husband since his departure and has taken no steps to have him followed.

BRIDGE UNSAFE

OLD CHAIN STRUCTURE AT AMESBURY WEAKENING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWBURYPORT, Aug. 14.—E. P. Shaw, Jr., superintendent of the Citizens' electric railway company, yesterday had his attention called to the weakness of the approach and roadway of the chain bridge, which crosses the Merrimac river, between Newburyport and Deer island on the main line to Amesbury. A report of the state engineer was also enclosed.

Wednesday afternoon Mr. Shaw with Mayor Carens visited the bridge and although it appeared perfectly safe, it was decided to have an examination by an engineer. Today Engineer Rogers of the Citizens' line came here and after an examination advised the company to stop running cars over the bridge.

He said that the approach must be entirely rebuilt and that when a car runs over the bridge there is nothing between the stringers to support the car except the rails and that the stringers are not near enough for safety. One cross-piece is badly split and a car was likely to go into the river.

An effort was made to reach the county commissioners and consult with them, but without avail.

Yesterday noon cars were stopped from crossing. This side of the chain bridge was rebuilt three years ago and has been regarded as perfectly safe.

HIS WIFE GONE

HIS MONEY ALSO IS MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Aug. 14.—Mrs. Antonetta Cappola, aged 35 years, wife of Saverco Cappola of this city, has eloped, it is believed, with her star boarder, Angelo Giaquinto, aged 20 years, taking with her about $1000 in money and valuables belonging to her husband and friends.

Giaquinto has been in the country a short time, and was given a home and job by Cappola. Yesterday Cappola returned home to find his $300 and watch and other valuables gone, as well as his wife and the newly arrived Italian.

Louis Terelia formerly boarded with the Cappolas, and he gave into Mrs. Cappola's keeping all his money, $450. This also has disappeared. It is thought the couple have gone to St. Louis.

FAMILY FEUD

LED UP TO KILLING OF JOHN HANCOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 14—Jim McCoy yesterday shot and killed John Hancock, five miles south of Ozark, the result of a family feud of years' standing. McCoy, who is a son of the late Capt. John McCoy, a noted antebellum politician of Missouri, was arrested.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14—A libel for a divorce has been filed by Ellen Walsh against John W. Walsh in the Suffolk county superior court, and the court has ordered an attachment of the property of the libellee in the sum of $20,000.

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Men's Canvas Shoes 83c

Brown Canvas Lace Shoes, welted sole, cool and durable. Were $1.50 a pair.

Boys' Canvas Oxfords 17c

Black Canvas Oxfords, with pressed leather soles, sizes 2 to 5 1-2. Were 39c a pair.

Boys' Bicycle Shoes 69c

Tan, Russia grain and tan goat skins, sizes 2 to 5 1-2. Were $1.25 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 98c

Made from patent leather, kid skin and Russia calf, light or heavy sole, several styles. Were $1.25 to $2.00 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 75c

Red Canvas, with rubber soles and heels. Were $1.50 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 59c

Patent leather and colt skin, with welt sole, sizes 1 to 3, A and B widths. Regular price $2.50 a pair.

Children's Oxfords Only 49c

Some misses, also in dongola, with patent tips or plain. Were 75c a pair.

Misses' Oxfords Only 17c

Kid skin, with patent leather tips, sizes 12 to 2. Were 49c a pair.

Infants' Shoes Only 12½c

Black, tan, red and chocolate, soft soles, kid shoes, neatly made and finished. Were 25c a pair.

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REVERE BEACH

BOARD OF TRADE DEFENDS ITS GOOD NAME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—The tradespeople and amusement managers along Revere beach feel that the reputation of their resort has been somewhat damaged lately by the wide publicity which has been given to recent gaming and liquor raids by the state police in the town of Revere itself. They also feel that a wrong impression has gone forth regarding their attitude toward the Sunday amusement question and Thursday evening a meeting of the board was held for the purpose of correcting what they believe to be an injustice to them.

The meeting was well attended and the subject of the injury done the reputation of the state reservation because of its proximity to the town which has lately occupied such an unenviable place in the public mind was discussed at length. Finally the position of the beach people themselves was set forth by the adoption of the resolutions setting forth:

That, recent events in the town of Revere have given notoriety to the town and

That, by a natural confounding of the town of Revere with the Revere Beach park reservation, some of these happenings have been announced as having occurred at Revere Beach. Further:

That, such misinformation has doubtless injured the reputation of Revere Beach among those unacquainted with the geographical and other differences between the town and the reservation.

In view of these facts the Revere Beach board of trade, an association organized to protect and develop the interests of the Revere Beach reservation, calls public attention to the fact that Revere beach is remarkable for the good order and excellent character of the immense throngs that visit it during the summer season, as indicated by the infrequency of arrests made there by the ever vigilant reservation police force, for even minor misdemeanors and that Chief Wade of the state police force, recently stated that there is probably no other place in this country where so few arrests are made, in proportion to the numbers of people who go to the resort. The board furthermore asserts that in fairness to the beach amusement managers who have been conducting their business Sundays, it should be stated that they have been acting under what they have been advised is the correct interpretation of the law and have at no time assumed the attitude of wilful law breakers.

EIGHT YEARS OLD

Hugh L. Garrity Entertained Young Friends

Hugh Lester Garrity was eight years old yesterday and he observed the event in a thoroughly up-to-date manner. Hughy is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garrity and the birthday reception was held in the upper parlors of the Old Washington Tavern. Hughy proved himself a very genial host and was assisted in receiving by his mother and younger brothers. He entertained 50 of his young friends and as a token of the event all were presented with boxes of candy designed for the occasion. Hughy was the recipient of many pretty and practical presents, including a croquet set and a silk umbrella.

All up for the Tall Hat Game, Bunting Grounds, Saturday.

RUNAWAY HORSE

MANAGED TO BEAT OUT AN EXPRESS TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 14.—In a three-mile race between a runaway horse and an express train from Medford Hillside to Winchester, yesterday, the horse beat the train, but the driver, a lad named Moore, had been thrown from the wagon and badly injured, and the wagon demolished. Several persons had a narrow escape from being knocked down by the horse in its flight.

The animal, attached to a light wagon, was left in charge of Moore and belted. When opposite the Brooks school the outfit struck a tree and Moore was thrown from the wagon. The horse continued his run and was soon clear of the wreck. He passed the West Medford railroad crossing just ahead of an express train from Boston, and from West Medford the horse took Grove street, which is parallel with the tracks. He was beating the train and the race continued to Winchester, which the horse reached ahead of the express. At Winchester the animal was captured unhurt and returned to his owner.

FELL FROM ROOF

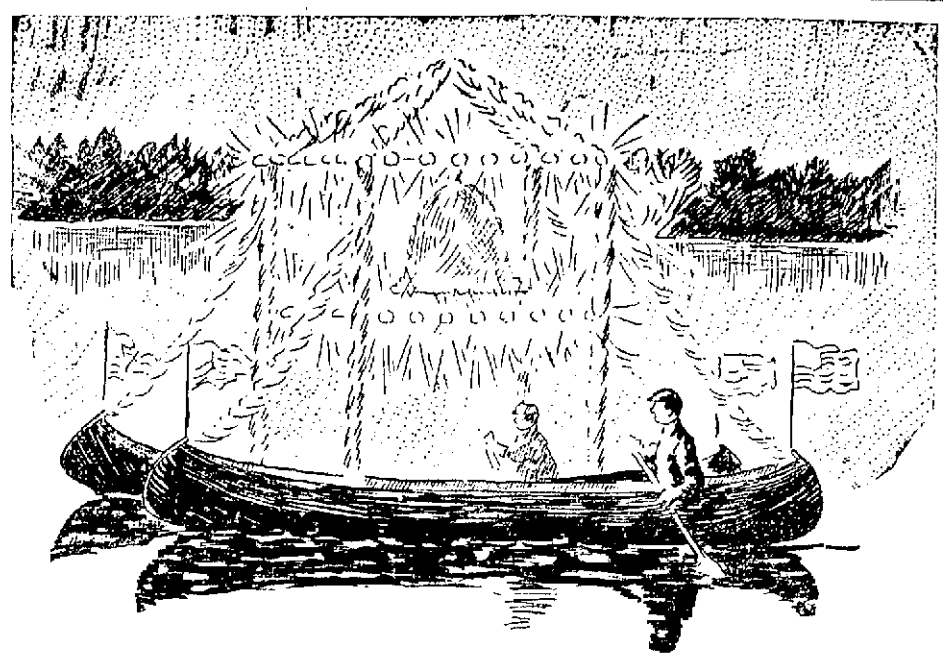
LITTLE GIRL KILLED WHILE VISITING HER AUNT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Evelyn Hayes, a pretty girl of 13 years, while on a visit to her aunt at 34 Ferrin street, Charlestown, was killed yesterday afternoon about 1.45 by falling from the roof of the house in which her aunt lives, a distance of 35 feet.

In company with her aunt, Miss Kate Broderick of 210 Heath street, Roxbury, Evelyn started for the home of Mrs. Lena Sullivan, 34 Ferrin street, another aunt. She played about the house and later went up to the roof with a glass of water. This, it is said, she started to pour into the yard, and in doing so lost her balance and fell.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.



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AND THEIR FRIENDS FROM THIS CITY

Grand Display on the Shore and Lake

The second annual carnival and illuminated parade under the auspices of the proprietors of Willow Dale and the cottagers around Lake Mascuppic was held last night and proved to be a grand success, like its predecessor. It was a fine moonlight, but the brilliancy of the moon was lost in the magnificent illuminations along the water front and the highly illuminated boats.

Over two thousand people were present to witness the grand illuminated parade, the cottagers having sent out numerous invitations to their many friends, and judging from the attendance at the different houses the majority of the invitations were accepted.

The decorations and illuminations on the cottages along the water front were the most elaborate ever attempted, and the effect as seen from the pavilion at Lakeview was grand. Japanese lanterns were distributed around in an artistic manner and it was one steady stream of light from the Iroquois club around the Willow Dale end of the lake to the last cottage near Bull Run.

Among the places decorated were the following: Iroquois club, Jewett cottage, the "Bower," owned by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hovey; "Stone Tower," the property of Mr. Bradley of Boston; "Camp Princess," Mr. Tibbets; "Piney Ridge," Mr. Judson Phillips; Empire club, "The Forty Thieves," Walcott cottage, Claw cottage, Mason cottage, Vevas cottage, Packer cottage, Young cottage, Bailey cottage, Coburn cottage, Chase cottage, Keyes cottage, Lusier cottage, Learey cottage, Saunders cottage, Kershaw cottage, Donavin cottage, Eagle club, Thompson cottage.

The first prize for the most beautifully decorated and illuminated cottage went to the Jewett cottage. It was surrounded on all sides with hundreds of Japanese lanterns, and red fire was burned during the greater part of the night. "Grand View" cottage, owned and occupied by Henry J. Keyes and family is worthy of special mention.

Numerous Chinese lanterns were arranged in an artistic manner and outlining the front of the cottage made a fine effect. Worked out in small lights and suspended from above was a design with the words "Grand View" in the centre, while about in the surrounding trees were suspended varied colored lanterns, while just below was a large transparency showing two large keys.

The "Idle Hour" cottage, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lussier, was also very prettily decorated as also was the Coburn cottage.

Of course the main attraction was the illuminated parade; for the past week the majority of the canoe boys have been making elaborate preparations for this event. While the parade was in progress the bright lights from the shore cast their rays on the water and showed hundreds of canoes which had not been decorated, but which were moving here and there in order to view the parade from an advantageous place.

As the illuminated canoes passed the different cottages and the pavilion at Willow Dale loud cheers and hearty applause were given.

At the close of the parade the judges, James McKinley, William Marin and Mr. Sherburn of Tyngsboro, awarded the first prize to Herbert L. Royer and Joseph Kittredge, who had their boats together. Their boats were decorated to represent the "Liberty Bell," and was one of the finest decorated crafts that has ever ridden the waters of the lake. The two canoes were placed side by side, being connected with light strips of wood, while in the centre was a belfrey and a canopy on top. Suspended from the belfry was a bell, and around the belfry were 75 incandescent lights. While the illuminations on the other boats were of Chinese and Japanese lanterns, Mr. Royer had placed three storage batteries in his boat which furnished plenty of power to run the incandescent lights. The lights were far more brilliant than that thrown by the lanterns, and as the boats, belfry and canopy were bedecked with streamers of crepe paper the effect was striking.

The second prize went to Mr. Upton who had a gasolene launch which was decorated so as to represent a whale.

The "Crescent and Star" run by Mr. Lussier won third prize.

The parade was in charge of Carl Mason, who won first prize last year, but who was unfortunate this year in having his canoe burned during the early part of the evening, after the decorations had caught fire.

MEADE RETIRED

Because He Sent a Disrespectful Letter

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—By order of the president, Col. Robert L. Meade of the U. S. marine corps will be retired Oct. 3 next in his present grade.

Because of a disrespectful letter which Col. Meade recently addressed to the navy department, the president took advantage of the law which provides that when an officer in the army or marine corps shall have reached the age of 62 years he may be retired on his own request or by order of the president.

Col. Meade recently requested that he be retired at an advanced grade. The law does not permit officers in the marine corps to be retired with advanced rank, but the president approved Meade's application for retirement.

Displeased that both his requests had not been granted, it is understood that Col. Meade addressed another letter to the department, requesting that his application be withdrawn, and charging among other things that the conditions for his retirement had been ignored.

The acting secretary recommended to the president that Col. Meade be allowed to withdraw his application for retirement, and that he be retired in accordance with the law on his 62d birthday.

President Roosevelt has promptly approved the recommendation of Acting Sec. Darling, and the necessary order has been issued.

FEAR OF "THE COP"

HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR APOPLEXY THAT CAUSED BOY'S DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14—Fear of the small boys' bugaboo, "the cop," caused the death yesterday of Wenzel Botha, Jr., 11 years old, son of Wenzel and Zelma Botha of 552 East 81st street.

Near the home of the Bothas, at 81st street and East End avenue, is a big vacant lot, surrounded by a fence, which is used as a storage place for wagons. This lot is a favorite playground for the boys of the neighborhood.

About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Policeman Schleider was sauntering down East End avenue, between 82d and 81st streets. He did not see the boys playing in the lot, but a sharp-eyed youngster on the avenue saw the policeman, and putting his head over the fence, yelled: "Cheese it, the cop."

Instantly the boys within the lot scampered off, making for the 81st street side. Young Botha was among the foremost. He jumped over the fence, landing on his feet on the street. Then he staggered to the door of his home, a short distance away, and fell gasping into the arms of Ethel Mabie and Edith Brown, two little girls who live in the house.

Dr. Jones of the Presbyterian hospital, who responded to an ambulance call, could find no marks of an injury. He determined that death must have been caused by apoplexy.

SOCIALIST TALK

In Open Air Meeting in Kirk Street

There was a large gathering at the Kirk street church last night to listen to the address of Mr. Powers of Providence, R. I., who spoke on the rights of workingmen. Soon after Mr. Powers opened his address it could be seen that he was in favor of socialism as he condemned both the democratic and republican parties and told the people to support none but the workingmen for public offices.

He paid some attention to the recent strike and declared that the business men were favorable to the corporations.

Mr. Powers spoke of the laboring people being crushed by capitalists and declared that the cry of the mill owners of New England was: "Suffer little children to come unto me and I will skin them, stunt them and starve them."

The speaker spoke for over an hour and one of the prominent features of his remarks was an eulogy of Washington as a workingman and the statement that if Washington could come to Lowell today he could not even be elected to the school board.

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THE STORY OF THE GREAT FRESH AIR MOVEMENT

OF the many charities which have earned for this country the reputation of being the most philanthropical in the world there is none that has attained a more deserving eminence than the fresh air movement, which, as charities go, is of comparatively recent origin. Today there is scarcely a city or town of any size in the United States that does not boast its fresh air fund, devoted to sending the children of its poor out to pleasant homes in the country or healthful resorts by lakeside and seashore. It is impossible to say just how many young lives have been saved by this notable charity, but the number certainly runs into the hundreds of thousands, for the children, weak and emaciated by the rigors of a long winter and a listless spring spent amid insanitary conditions, return from their visit to the mountains or the ocean with renewed vitality and sufficient energy to withstand the baneful influences of their city environment.

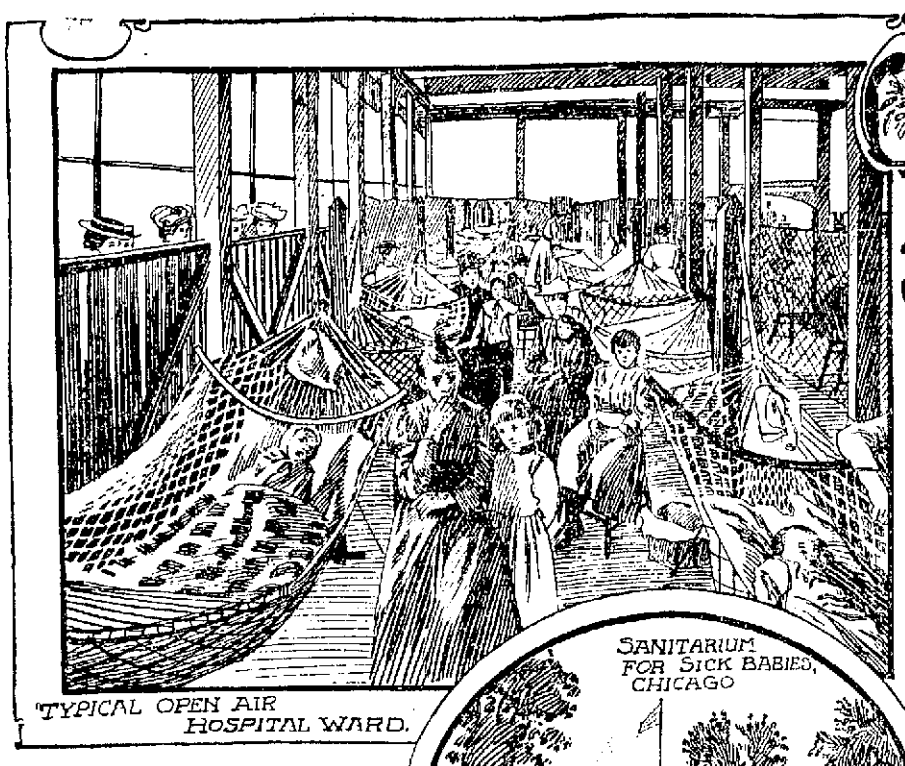
The good work is not confined to any particular religious sect or charitable organization. It is essentially national, being made possible by the generosity of people in all walks of life. In many places newspapers have established "fresh air funds" and take full charge of the task of seeing that the little ones are pleasantly located and have the best of attention. The first fresh air fund in the history of the country was started in 1877 by the Rev. William Parsons of New York, under the auspices of a newspaper, and the fund has been continued ever since with increasing benefit to the children of the east side. In the first year of its existence but sixty children were sent to the country; now its beneficiaries annually number many thousands, and the outlook for the present season is the brightest in its history.

A most important phase of the work has been the establishmnt of sanitariums and hospitals for sick babies, and in this newspapers have also played a prominent part. In Lincoln park, Chicago, stands a newspaper sanitarium, whither for over fifteen years babies have been conveyed by the wagon load and given a chance to breathe the pure air denied them in their tenement homes. This sanitarium is but one of many to be found the length and breadth of the land, for the benefits of such an institution are so widely recognized that many city hospitals for sick children have established summer homes in health giving localities.

In some cases, moreover, provision is made for the mothers of the children, and this extension of the charity is invariably followed by far reaching results. The mothers are taught how best to care for their babies and how to prevent simple ills from developing into serious diseases. The proud mothers when they return to the city hasten to impart their knowledge to the mothers of other children, and in this way the work of ameliorating the handicaps under which the poor must always struggle is continued by a sort of endless chain.

As a rule, the children of an older growth are sent in batches to the country or seashore, where they spend a two weeks' vacation with absolutely nothing to do but eat and enjoy themselves. In the country the days pass in rambles through woods and fields, in hay rides, in picnics, in baseball games with the country lads. At the seashore there are always bathing, playing in the sand, surf fishing, clambakes and the like.

It goes without saying that most of the work falls on the shoulders of individuals, and it is to the credit of the American people that so many of them are willing to further the charity by far more than mere financial aid. Men and women, merely from love of the cause, annually devote part of their summer to entertaining in their country homes the little ones of the underworld, and some of the most prominent in this feature of the work are among the leaders of social life. Then, too, there are the farmers throughout the country who undertake to care for a stated number of children every year. True, they are in most instances paid fairly well for boarding the youngsters, but even then they are deserving of the highest praise, for it is to be taken for granted that the fresh air fund beneficiaries run wild over the farms, chase the chickens, sheep and pigs and do all manner of things that must sorely try their hosts' temper.



TYPICAL OPEN AIR HOSPITAL WARD.

SANITARIUM FOR SICK BABIES, CHICAGO

ENJOYING COUNTRY LIFE

So far as New York is concerned the movement will ere long receive a noteworthy extension through the generosity of the head of the United States Steel corporation, Charles M. Schwab, who, together with his wife, is displaying a great deal of interest in this form of philanthropy. Little more than a year ago Mr. Schwab purchased Richmond Beach, on the south shore of Staten Island, and he will build there a splendid resort for the benefit of the poor and sick children of the city. The property includes about a quarter of a mile of fine beach, a fresh water lake and a grove. It is a veritable paradise for children, and when Mr. Schwab's plans are fully developed about 2,000 youngsters will be provided for daily, being given a good time in the usual way. The several charitable organizations in the city will see to it that all the children possible make the trip to "Schwab park."

Another famous outdoor charity for New York's little ones is that conducted by St. John's guild, antedating by several years the organized fresh air movement. For over thirty-five years the guild has been operating floating hospitals and seaside homes for sick children and their mothers, the benefits being open to all without creed, class or sectarian distinction. The floating hospital is a large barge equipped with cots, hammocks and all needful appliances, and having on board a corps of doctors and nurses. The children are taken aboard early in the morning and the barge is then towed down the river and into the bay, returning to the city late in the afternoon with its little charges. Needless to say it is given the right of way over all the craft in the river and bay.

Apart from the direct good it accomplishes the fresh air movement is of incalculable value to the nation at large. It is a perennial appeal to the better instincts of humanity, and it is at the same time an important factor in the development of those more fortunate children who have no need of its assistance. It enlists their sympathy and aid, and moves thousands of them to active works of charity, with the consequent result of their growing up better and purer types of American manhood and womanhood. In many places the fresh air fund would not exist were it not for the children who contrive, as children will, to devise schemes which will not only be financially profitable to the cause of charity, but will also be vastly entertaining to the little philanthropists. They hold fancy goods bazaars, give concerts, circuses, minstrel shows, amateur theatricals and literary entertainments, erect toy stores whereat are dispensed lemonade and popcorn, and conduct flower shows and ice cream sociables. Girls of course predominate in this work, but the boys gladly lend a helping hand. These entertainments continue winter and summer, sowing in many youthful hearts seeds of brotherly love and kindness which the after years with their stern realities can never eradicate.

H. ADDINGTON BRUCE.

WAR AGAINST BOOKS.

The last authorized book burning in Great Britain was in 1779, when "The Commercial Restraint of Ireland Considered," by the Hon. Hely Hutchinson, was given to the flames. The war against books began under Henry VIII., when books were burned by both religious parties. All copies of Tyndale's Bible that could be bought up were publicly burned at St. Paul's on Shrove Tuesday, 1527, and a general destruction by fire of unlicensed books was ordered three years later by the king. In 1585 the star chamber claimed the power of licensing and seizing books, and its scrutiny was as rigorous as that of the inquisition.

A SPIRIT PICTURE OF CANON KNOX-LITTLE.

That the camera will play all sorts of uncommon and sometimes embarrassing tricks has long been known, but it is seldom that it unwittingly takes a "spirit picture" of a clergyman, or, for that matter, of anybody. The remarkable feature of the present camera escapade is that the subject of the picture, Canon Knox-Little, an English cleric, is a devout believer in ghosts. Photographers are still trying to account for the peculiar secondary photograph of the worthy clergyman. The picture was one of a set taken by a periodical for use in connection with an illustrated interview.

SOME FACTS ABOUT EYES.

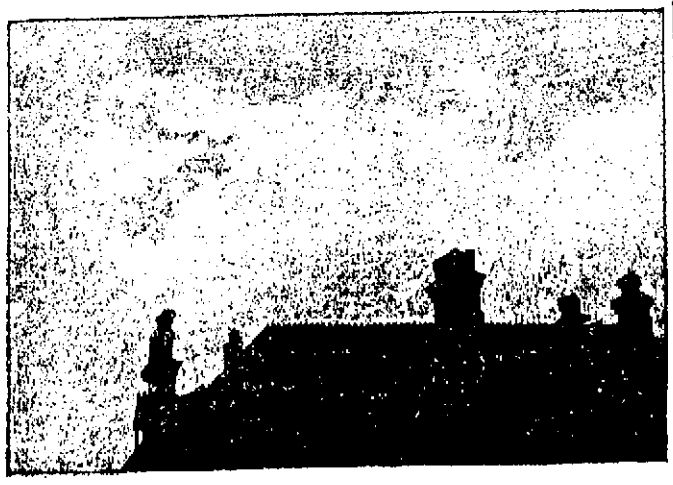
Men and monkeys alone, of all the animal world, possess parallel and convergent vision of the two eyes. The lower mammals possess divergent and consequently very widely extended vision. Squirrels are able to see an enemy directly from behind without turning the head.

INTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

SUMMER GIRL'S STRANGE PET.

Summer girls have all sorts of odd fancies, but the palm for whimsicality must be awarded this year to a pretty miss at Atlantic City who cherishes a pet lion cub, with which she appears on the beach. To all seeming the animal is gentle and harmless, but the average visitor to the sands gives the girl and the cub a wide berth.

REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF LIGHTNING.



The accompanying illustration was made from a photograph taken from the deck of a vessel lying off the shore of a Lake Ontario village. It is undoubtedly one of the most realistic lightning photographs ever made, showing as it does an ugly simultaneous display of flashes.

QUAINT NATURAL MONUMENT.

The curious pile of rocks shown in the illustration is known as the "Cheesewring" and stands a short distance from Liskeard, in Cornwall, England. Thirty-two feet high, many of the upper stones overhang the base to such an extent that one would swear they were just about to topple to the ground. But they have been standing in this fashion for many centuries. Some persons assert that they were put together by the Druids, but the theory that is probably correct is that they are the result of denudation.

TATTOOED RACE VANISHING.

The report from New Zealand to the effect that the Maoris, the celebrated tattooed aborigines of that country, are slowly but surely disappearing and that in a comparatively short time the race will be extinct, has revived interest in this curious people, who at one time ranked as the most bloodthirsty cannibals ever encountered by explorers. When the whites first went to New Zealand the Maori population was about 100,000, while today it is less than 35,000. The illustration shows how the Maoris make their naturally hideous faces all the more repulsive by tattooing. They carry the grotesque designs to the grave.

HEAD OF A MAORI CHIEF.

THE LONG AND THE SHORT OF IT IN SKELETONS.

The illustration speaks for itself. The tallest skeleton is that of Giant O'Brien, who stood eight feet in his stockings, while the tiny skeleton in the glass case is all that remains of Caroline Crachami, who in life was but eighteen inches high. The illustration was made from a photograph taken at the Royal College of Surgeons in England, where the skeletons are preserved.

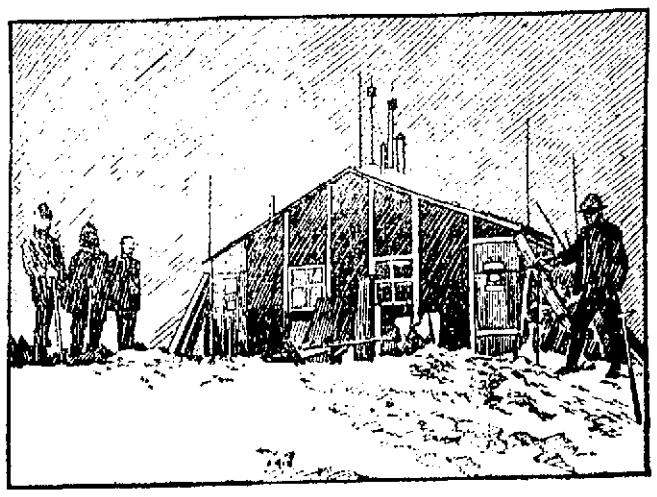
AUTOMOBILE LAWN MOWER IN USE AT THE CAPITOL.

What is believed to be the first automobile lawn mower used in this country is employed on the grounds around the White House and the capitol in Washington, where it may be seen almost every day cutting grass. The statement is made that it does its work neatly and expeditiously and at the same time does no damage to the beautiful lawns.

NOVEL FEATURE OF A GYMKHANA CONTEST.

The gymkhana is a sort of amateur athletic meet in which the belles and beaux of society take part. All genuine gymkhanas boast unique and original features, such as driving pigs in harness, racing geese and so forth. At a recent gymkhana one of the popular contests scheduled was a race between rows of champagne bottles, as shown in the illustration, the fair competitors being blindfolded and driven in teams by young swells, upon whom devolved the task of steering their teams successfully between the rows of bottles. Prizes were awarded to those who knocked down the smallest number of bottles during their journey.

A COUNTRY HOME IN HIGH ALTITUDES.



Our illustration shows the country house and observatory of M. Joseph Vallot, who many years ago became fascinated with wonderful Mont Blanc in the Alps, and subsequently erected on its summit the odd looking dwelling herewith pictured. M. Vallot was inspired to build this house not alone in the interests of science, but as a place of refuge for those mountain climbers who might be exhausted by the perilous journey, and as a mountain hospital it holds a unique record. Owing to the great difficulty of transporting materials to the summit of the mountain, it was many weeks before the necessary lumber, etc., was on the site of the building, and then it took 110 men a week to put the house together.

REV. P. E. ASLEY, INSTALLED PASTOR OF SWEDISH CHURCH.

NEW MINISTER

Rev. P. E. Asley Installed

AS PASTOR OF SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Ceremony Was an Elaborate One

With all the formality and detail of the Lutheran church ritual, surrounded by visiting clergymen and in the presence of an assembly that crowded the church to its very doors, Rev. P. E. Asley was installed as pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church in Mendowcroft street, last night.

The installation ceremony was delivered by Rev. Dr. L. P. Ahlquist of Wilcox, Pa. All of the clergymen carried bibles and all read scriptural quotations bearing on the charge which was being delivered over to the new pastor and the latter read the creed of the church.

The very impressive ceremony closed with the laying on of hands by the clergymen, while they repeated the Lord's prayer in unison.

The ministers present were: Rev. Dr. L. P. Ahlquist, Wilcox, Pa.; Rev. E. J. Nystrom, Worcester; Rev. F. A. Engstrand, Worcester; Rev. C. F. Johannson, Boston; Rev. C. W. Andeer, Boston; Rev. J. A. Anderson, Brockton; Rev. J. A. Bernhard, Quincy; Rev. Mr. Lindevalle, Lynn; Rev. J. A. Peterson, Waltham; Rev. H. Jacobson, Cambridgeport; Rev. N. E. Kron, Manchester, N. H.; Rev. J. H. Helmgren, Concord, N. H.; Rev. C. J. Beckman, Gardner; Rev. Peter Froeberg, Orange; Rev. J. P. Lundahl, Proctor, Vt.; Rev. Elof Peterson, Woburn; Rev. Charles Holberg, Everett and Rev. John Gullans, Worcester; S. E. Froeberg, Portland, Me.; and A. Anderson, Woburn.

Rev. P. E. Asley was born in Northern Sweden. He came to this country when a young man and entered the Augustana Theological seminary, at Rock Island, Ill. He graduated from that institution and went to Salt Lake City, Utah, where he worked as missionary for over eight years, among the Mormons.

CANFIELD WINS

Cleared up $200,000 in Wall Street

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Richard Canfield has made $200,000 by successful speculation in the stock of the Reading railroad, which had a sensational advance yesterday.

Wall street has the story that he got the tip to buy the stock several weeks ago from a member of the Vanderbilt family, who has on several occasions been a patron of his establishment, now closed.

Mr. Canfield bought 20,000 shares of the stock in the week ending Saturday, July 2, at an average price of 47. He closed out yesterday at an average price of 57. His profit therefore, represents 10 points advance in the market.

Mr. Canfield's speculative operations were conducted through an Exchange place firm, the senior member of which has frequently been a patron of Mr. Canfield's both in New York and Saratoga, and who was one of the recalcitrant witnesses whom Dist. Atty. Jerome failed to compel to testify against the Canfield gambling establishment.

It is said that the entire Canfield group of gamblers have made handsome profits out of the tip from the Vanderbilt interests. Mr. Canfield is in Saratoga conducting a fashionable restaurant and when the news came out in Wall street yesterday, his former patrons sent him telegrams of congratulations, for Mr. Canfield is popular in the Waldorf-Astoria set despite the fact that Dist. Atty. Jerome has charged that he operated "brace" games which his patrons had never a chance to beat.

SHOT IN THIGH

G. W. JONES WOUNDED AT NANTASKET BEACH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NANTASKET, Aug. 14.—G. W. Jones, proprietor of the shooting gallery at Nantasket state reservation, was accidentally shot last evening by an employe named James Caldwell.

Caldwell was trying to put down the hammer of a 22-caliber Winchester rifle, used in the gallery, when it was discharged, sending a bullet through an inch board partition into the office where Mr. Jones was standing and into his thigh.

The injured man was taken to the Massachusetts general hospital in Boston, where efforts were to be made to extract the bullet by the employment of the X-ray.

In the early summer Caldwell gave exhibitions here as a snake eater under the professional name of Oram.

Mr. Jones is a blind man, belonging in Boston. He came to Nantasket this summer for the first time and opened a shooting gallery.

THIRTEEN YEARS

LETTER ON THE WAY FOR A LONG TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTH WEYMOUTH, Aug. 14.—A letter has just been received at the post office here that has been on the way 13 years.

It bears the date stamp of Feb. 10, 1890. On the upper corner are the words "Return in 20 days." Where it has been during this long period nobody knows.

BOY DROWNED

HAD JUST CELEBRATED HIS BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 14.—Walter Lutes, 10 years old, whose parents live at 26 Elvir street, was drowned in Floating bridge pond yesterday afternoon while fishing. Up to a late hour last night the body had not been recovered.

The boy celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday and his parents gave him a gold watch. In company with a smaller brother he went fishing and while Walter went upon the railroad bridge the brother remained on the foot bridge.

Soon the latter heard a splash and saw his brother struggling in the water. The boy sank twice and then came to the surface and started to swim to the shore, but suddenly sank out of sight.

VESUVIUS ACTIVE

PEOPLE IN THE VICINITY GREATLY ALARMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—Vesuvius is again causing intense alarm in the surrounding region, the eruptions of the volcano being very heavy yesterday. This alarming activity, which followed the shocks of earthquake, is augmenting. The detonations are very loud and almost continuous, while from a fresh opening at the base of the principal crater two streams of lava are issuing which within a few hours covered a wide tract of ground. One stream has covered ground already arid from previous eruptions, but the other is going swiftly towards the village of Ottojano, the direction taken by the famous eruptions of 1872. The whole district around the volcano is shaken by frequent earth shocks and a perfect panic prevails.

SECRETARY MOODY

STARTED FOR OYSTER BAY YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Secretary of the Navy William H. Moody, with several friends, among whom was ex-Secretary of the Navy W. E. Chandler, arrived at the navy yard yesterday to board the dispatch boat Dolphin for Oyster Bay, where the North Atlantic squadron is to be reviewed on Saturday. After Rear Admiral Johnson had paid his compliments to the visitors, the Dolphin sailed.

THOUSANDS DESTITUTE

APPALLING SUFFERING IN THE HURRICANE DISTRICT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, Jm., Aug. 14.—The destitution in the hurricane district is appalling. Thousands of persons, homeless, starving and ill-clad, are hurrying to the towns to obtain shelter and supplies but as all the churches and public buildings have been demolished the misery is intense. A meeting held at Port Authonia yesterday appealed, with the governor's approval to the generosity of the American people. Foodstuffs and lumber are urgently needed and assistance was implored.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Edward L. Dwyer yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy with the clerk of the United States district court. The liabilities are fixed at $374,855, and assets $150. Most of these liabilities are secured.

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A Story of a Youthful Hero and a Hospital Nurse

McManus, Professional

By OLIVIER HENRY

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NUMBER NINE, surgical ward, was lying quite still, with his eyes tightly closed and his little freckled hands pressed down hard on the covers so they might not see how they were trembling. Two doctors were standing by his bed. One was a large, portly man with bushy gray hair and a pretentious manner. That was the great Dr. Fletcher, senior physician in charge. The other—younger, thin, less imperative, wearing double glasses and a therapeutic side whisker—was Dr. Parks, the junior. Number Nine pretended to be asleep and listened, for they were talking about his case.

"But"— said Dr. Parks hesitatingly.

"But what?" said Dr. Fletcher impatiently. "The symptoms are there."

"Except"—

"Except the fever. I know he doesn't carry temperature. But it has never been proved that fever is invariably attendant."

"If"— began the junior.

"'If' is a dangerous word in surgery, my dear Parks."

The objector succumbed. The great Fletcher had dropped the formal and always slightly ironical "doctor" and had called him "my dear Parks." It was an unusual thing for the senior physician in charge to court the opinion of the junior, and perhaps that is why the junior regarded the diagnosis of Number Nine with something resembling suspicion. However, he succumbed to the cajolery of his chief.

"I shall operate at 3 o'clock this afternoon," said Dr. Fletcher. "If you care to be present you will, of course, receive mention as 'assisting' in the operation. But, as you do not concur in the diagnosis, I"—

"Indeed," interrupted Dr. Parks—"indeed, I fully agree with you in all the main points and will be glad to act as your assistant. Your knowledge, your experience, your high rank in"—

"Then," cut in the chief curtly, "at 3 sharp."

This being the last case in the surgical ward to be considered, the two physicians turned their momentous steps outward.

Number Nine opened his eyes, which were pale blue and very strained and scared looking.

Being only ten years old, he believed in the superstition that doctors and operating knives are the natural enemies of the integral human being.

The new surgical nurse came along and stopped at the foot of the bed. He and Number Nine had become friends immediately after their acquaintance had begun.

Perhaps some explanation is due as to why the Needle's Eye hospital came to employ Robert McManus as a professional nurse. The hospital was supported by a legacy and managed by a board, and that accounted for many things besides the popping of many corks in the officers' quarters and exceeding thin beef tea in the patients' wards. For example, if a pleasant faced young fellow comes along and is willing to undertake for fifty dollars certain duties that stand for a hundred on the pay roll, you naturally engage him on the spot. It is plain to see that the money will go further—in other directions. In this wise we find McManus, professional, at his new post.

"INDEED, I FULLY AGREE WITH YOU."

"Hello, kid!" said McManus, looking closely at the boy's chalky face. "What's the trouble?"

A shaky little paw crept from under the coverlet and clutched a finger of McManus' hand.

"Bob, you know as much as the doctors do, don't you?"

"Well, kid," said the nurse cogitatively, "a man gets rusty in his business sometimes. You see, I haven't been follow'n' my regular profession right lately. I played short and third with the Little Rocks all summer and they went to pieces and left me on the bog. I saw an ad. in the paper about a professional nurse wanted here, so I thought I'd sign with the hospital till there's somethin' doin'. You might keep all that to yourself, though, kid."

"Bob," said the boy with laboring breath, "do you know what pendy—pendy—sy—tis is?"

"Sure thing," answered McManus cheerfully. "The Sunday paper tells about it. But you don't call it right. It's appendiseedus. It comes from eatin' apple seeds, and they slice you up for it."

Number Nine's hand clung tighter. "They thought I was asleep," he continued—"the doctors did—and I heard 'em talkin'. What's 'op—per—rate,' Bob?"

"Operate?" Bob rubbed his nose gently. "Why, that's the medical term for carvin'. They're goin' to carve some party up to see what's in 'um. Guess it's that guy in the last bed. I heard the croaker say last night he was goin' to cut off his narcotics."

"No, it's me, Bob; it's me! They was standin' right over me and thought I was asleep. Don't let 'em cut me up, Bob—please don't!"

"Steady, now, kid. Don't play too far off your base. Why didn't you say it was you?"

"I ain't got it, Bob—honest I ain't! It's just a little pain that 'll be well in a few days. Don't let 'em do it, Bob."

"Hold your base, now. These croakers ought to be on to their job. They want to do what's best for you. A croaker, you know, kid, he does the infightin' while a trained nurse like me only does the bottle and sponge act, you might say. They looked into your case. You been eatin' plenty apples, I guess, and swallowin' seeds."

"I double crisscross declare, Bob, I ain't et an apple in two months."

"That's funny," mused the new nurse perplexedly. "It comes always from eatin' apple seeds. What give you this pain, then, kid?"

Number Nine drew a long, slow, quivering breath.

"Nothin' never give it to me," he answered dully—"nothin 't all. Me fadder sent me here 'cause I was sick." After a pause he continued: "Me fadder gimme a sled one Chris'mus. Me fadder was good to me. Three o'clock, the doctor said, Bob, and it's most 12 now."

McManus laid Number Nine's paw back upon the covers and rose, stooping over him to arrange the pillow.

"Kid," he said thoughtfully, "you lay still and remember that Bob is goin' to look out for your interests. I'm goin' to investigate this business. Honest, now, you ain't been eatin' apples?"

"Hope I may die 'f I have, Bob."

The hospital druggist, an anæmic young man in a garrulous checked suit and red necktie, was bending over his counter, jabbing capsules full of a white powder. Came the new nurse and leaned upon his elbow two feet away.

"Hospital pretty full for the time of year, doctor?" inquired the nurse insinuatingly, and scored a base hit.

"Oh, I'm not one of the physicians!" said the druggist in a tone that intimated the loss to the institution. "Though if it wasn't for my looking after things I don't know what the patients would do, old Fletcher's away so much. You're the new nurse—professional?"

"Professional—sure! It must take a pretty wise head, now, to hold your job. Guess you get on to all the latest dodges. What's your opinion about operatin' for appendiseedus, now?"

"It's a deuced neat caper," said the druggist, with a critical frown. "I always assist old Fletcher. He's crazy about appendi-ci-tis—excuse me—cases. He's writing a book on the subject. He's a brilliant operator, but I don't exactly approve of his plan of ligating and amputating below the ligature. I believe in suturing over it. Still, he's been successful."

"Your idea seems to me to be best," said McManus, with admiration in his tone. "Now, that kid, Number Nine, they're goin' to operate on—you think he's got it?"

"Well," said the druggist, slowly closing one eye, "did Eighteen have necrosis when Fletcher amputated his leg last Thursday? And did Five have septicemia when he lost an arm on Saturday? I guess I can talk to you. You know what a surgeon who is writing a book wants—he wants subjects. Great Galen, he's an operator, though! It's a privilege to see him handle the blades. Cool!" The druggist shook his head in commendation beyond words.

"ME FADDER SENT ME HERE."

"You mean the kid ain't got it?" asked the nurse, with a shade too much interest in his voice. The druggist's enthusiasm ebbed a little. He shrugged his shoulders.

"Oh, he's been diagnosed. Fletcher is supposed to know his business. But," he added in a little flurry of self vindication, "you know yours, too, so just take a look at the temperature chart on the wall behind his bed."

"You know a first class croaker—er—I mean doctor—that's got an office close around here?" asked the nurse suddenly.

"There's Dr. McIvor, on the next corner below, this side of the street. I'm studying theory and practice with him after hours. He's A1, but not as daring as Fletcher."

Half an hour later McManus walked into Dr. McIvor's office and laid down $1.20 upon the table.

"That's my pile, Doc," he announced. "Take it and write me out on a piece of paper full directions how to size up when a party's got appendiseedus, dead sure thing or not, whichever the case may be."

At a quarter to 3 Dr. Fletcher strolled into the surgical ward jingling silver in his pocket and humming a tune in a very flat key. In his pseudo cheerful, loud voice he rallied the patients playfully—miserable wretches who must perforce seem visibly grateful for this gratis sick room heartiness—thus performing the part of the benefactor who condescends to relax.

Round the room he went, stopping here and there, pretending to be unaware of a certain bed, as a cat will sometimes circle, counterfeiting ignorance of a mouse she has caught and hid, disabled, a little out of her reach. While on his round he spoke a word to an attendant who put on a big white apron and went and busied himself in a smaller adjoining room.

At five minutes to 3 the new nurse began to hover around Number Nine's bed. As the clock began to strike he had just completed his fifth or sixth pretended arrangement of the bedclothes. On the stroke Number Nine's hand closed, with a desperate grip of terror, around his friend's primary digit. Dr. Parks strolled in, imitating as far as his rather mean port would permit the benignant strut of his superior. Finally, as the cat abandons comedy and goes to its meat, the senior physician's stroll culminated at Number Nine's bedside.

"And how does my 'little man feel?" he lisped, with the painful sprightliness of a stranger to child talk.

The nurse's finger that the boy held seemed to be in a vise. Number Nine's freckles grew dark against his increasing pallor. His eyes, the irises of which were completely white encircled, stared so fixedly at the distinguished vivisectionist that that gentleman's spurious smile became almost real as he noted the marvelous resemblance of Number Nine to one of the many rabbits he had seen gaze thus up at him wired down to his dissecting table.

"We will take 'little man in the other room and make um well. So nice! Diddle-dy-dum-dy-dee! You bring him," he added to McManus. "He seems to have taken a fancy to you."

Bob slipped one arm under Number Nine's neck and the other under his knees. The boy gulped a hard breath, probably to scream, but the nurse whispered to him:

"Don't play off too far, kid. Bob 'll bring you home when he gets to the bat. Sh—sh! Easy, now!"

The two doctors sauntered into the smaller room. The nurse followed, carrying Number Nine.

The operating room was furnished with the rigor of a morgue or a New England parlor. In the center of the tiled floor stood an iron skeleton frame couch whence, for better or worse, so many had drifted from pain into the precarious arms of the subtle goddess anæsthesia. The top of this grim trestle was slightly hollowed and lower at its foot, where holes were pierced immediately above a basin waiting significantly below. The arrangement of this simple device for holding the body while its life trickled through the holes was such that the operatee faced a window, and it was his privilege to fix his gaze (an act sometimes unopen to repetition) upon an inviting lawn, flower bedecked in season, waving branches of green trees and a patch of blue sky into which, like as not, he might presently be soaring. A marble sink with glittering faucets, a copper boiler fuming over a gas burner, a few shelves, their contents concealed behind discreet drapery—these things and little else met the eye of the uninitiated intruder. Behind considerate screens lurked the machinery of science—the teeth behind the smile. There, back of glass doors, shone the things of steel and silver that are always thirstily searching through quivering flesh.

WITH SUCH APPARENT EASE.

The attendant arranged the operating table. As the nurse laid Number Nine down he looked the boy straight in the eye and whispered:

"Will you trust Bob, kid?"

He heard a faint "Yes, Bob," and the small form, now Number Nine no longer, but a "subject," lay quite still looking out the window, but never releasing his hold on his protector's finger.

The druggist bustled importantly in with the keys to the instrument cases. The doctors donned white gowns. Fletcher was humming a tune. Dr. Parks stuffed some absorbent cotton into a pepper funnel and began to pour the ether.

"You may go now," said Fletcher to the nurse.

"No-o-o-o!" the shrill voice of the boy went, keen and startling, through the wards. Outside in the corridor a nurse said to another: "Operating without anæsthetics! Old Fletcher's getting in a bigger hurry than ever."

Dr. Fletcher bent over the boy.

"'Little man let the good doctor give um medicine to make um well." To McManus he said: "You'd better stay till he's under the influence. He'll be quieter." The druggist was arranging the instruments on a little stand. Unexpectedly the nurse spoke up.

"Doc," he said quietly, "the kid knows what you brought him in here for. He heard you and the other croaker talkin' it over. Doc, don't you think you're callin' too many strikes on him?"

Dr. Fletcher regarded McManus as he would have gazed upon an anatomical freak, minus the pleasure.

"What does this buffoonery mean?" he asked coldly.

"Wait till I have a look at the score card," said the nurse, drawing a sheet of paper from his pocket. "Here you are! Doc, that kid ain't got appendiseedus any more than I have. I got all the runs—I mean the symptoms—right here. 'Localized pain,' it says; that he's got. 'Rig-rig-idity of the wall on right side;' maybe he's got that. 'Tenderness in the illio-lin-cae;' I'll have to pass that word up. But, Doc, where's your fever? Where's your 'in-invariable rise of temperature?' The kid ain't had a mite of fever since he's been sick. Besides, Doc, I'll take a paralyzed oath he ain't et an apple in two months."

"I believe you represented yourself to be a trained nurse?" said Dr. Fletcher, incasing, for a moment, the fire of his rising wrath in the asbestos of sarcasm—"a professional."

McManus' eye met the doctor's withering gaze with a peculiar gleam in it.

"I am the goods," he said, with serene ambiguity.

"Leave this room and this hospital at once, you meddling ignoramus."

"You bet I'm a trained nurse," said Number Nine's champion softly, lingering with the original proposition.

"From what most extraordinary institution of instruction, may I ask?" said Fletcher, shifting back from his bluff to the more tenable ground of sarcasm.

"Barney Gilligan's East Side Gymnasium." The nurse's voice split the air as keen as one of the doctor's scalpels. "Want to see my diploma?" He bent over Number Nine. "Turn my finger loose, kid, and we'll make a home run."

McManus balanced himself lightly upon both feet, and now it would have been a captious critic who would not have said that his manner was purely professional. His arms moved outward, one after the other, with such apparent ease that it seemed out of all proportion to the exertion that the big doctor should fall with his head in a corner and remain there; also that Dr. Parks should dive backward through a screen and present only the soles of his shoes to the rest of the action.

"Am I a trained nurse?" remarked that individual, addressing the query to emptiness, or rather to unheeding ears, for the attendant and the druggist had fled, neither of them feeling authorized to examine into the credentials of Gilligan's graduate.

"Catch on, kid!" said the nurse. Number Nine's bony arms clutched his deliverer's neck. He felt himself lifted, as a feather, from the cheated altar of science and borne out through the ward. One stop they made when the nurse put on his hat and wrapped his coat around the boy. Then he took up his burden again and halted not until they were clear of the building and grounds of the Needle's Eye hospital.

On the sidewalk the boy said faintly: "I don't want to go back to me fadder, Bob. I wants to stay wid you."

"Not go back to your father, kid, what was good to you and bought you a sled Chris'mus?"

"'Twas a many a Chris'mus ago, Bob. He was good to me oneed, and I ain't forgot it. He's different now. He's a-drinkin'. I wants to stay wid you, Bob."

"And you shall, kid. I told you I'd bring you home when it was my strike, and I'll do it. There's plenty of jobs. I'll find another one before night, and we'll stick together. Bob wouldn't let you die on third!"

"Bob!"

"Yes, kid."

"I'd never tell anybody but you. I know what's de matter wid me."

"The mischief you do! You sure you didn't eat a apple, kid, and it slipped your mind, maybe?" asked McManus anxiously.

"Sure. I knows all about it. I didn't want nobody to know. He used to be awful good to me, Bob. That sled was a red one with a yellow rose on de side. I ain't forgot it. But last week he kicked me—here in the side. That's what's the matter, Bob."

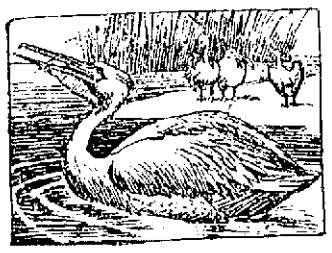
"And you wouldn't— Well, I be ——!" said the ex-nurse.

FACTS AND FUN FOR THE LITTLE MEN AND WOMEN

An Island of Pelicans

By ALBERTA PLATT

OCCASIONALLY the United States takes possession for itself of a district to preserve certain natural curiosities therein from the greed or destructiveness of men. This has been done with Pelican island, off the east coast of Florida. It was merely a speck of marsh land covered with grasses, trees and undergrowth—likewise mosquitoes. Its only inhabitants were flocks of the great white American pelican. This bird is as large as a swan, with a huge, horny beak over a foot long and very thick and heavy. As if the beak were not heavy enough of itself there is in the lower half of it an opening into a big, membranous bag or sac. This is to carry fish in. When the female is hatching her young, sitting upon her eggs on the ground, the male bird attends to his part of the business by bringing fish in his pouch for her to eat. After the young birds are hatched, both the father and mother carry fish to feed the young.



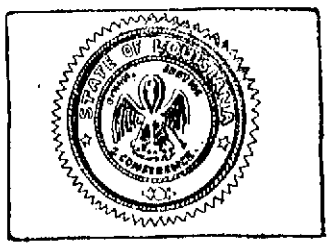
PELICANS AT HOME.

This is how a pelican fishes: It wades into the water of a river, lake or the sea, dips its great bill down and nabs a fish with the tips of its mandibles, which are the upper and lower halves of its bill. Then it raises its head quickly, opens the bag under its lower jaw and drops the fish in as you would drop apples into a bag. You see in the picture how this is done.

If the bird has young ones to feed, it leaves the water and flies home to them in a hurry. But it has no hands to pull that fish out of the sac. So it presses the under part of its bill and the sac hard against its breast and opens its mouth, when out pops the fish! Then the pelican feeds the young ones with it. The tip of the pelican's bill is red, and long ago among people who were not naturalists a story was started by persons who had seen the red beak against the white feathers that the pelican pecked at her breast till her own blood flowed and then fed her young with the scarlet drops. There are occasionally real drops of blood upon the pelican's breast, for the soft sac in which it holds the fish is often wounded from the sharp spine of a fish's fin and made to bleed. That helped the false story along.

People used to believe it, however, so, when Louisiana was admitted to this Union, her citizens chose as the state seal a heraldic picture of a pelican feeding her young ones with drops of blood from her breast. Thus, said they, will the state of Louisiana cherish her children.

These splendid great white birds lived at peace upon their island for centuries. Their flesh is not good to eat, being rank and fishy in taste, and their plumage is too coarse and stiff for the milliners to make use of upon ladies' hats, so the pelicans of Pelican Island bade fair to live on and be happy, as they had been doing since long before America was discovered. But tourists began at last to find out what a lovely place Florida is in winter. They flocked there more and more. Travelers saw the snow white pelicans sailing in glorious flights above the island, saw them fishing in the shallow water along the shore, saw them carrying fish to feed their children. The innocent birds were of no earthly use dead to anybody, and living they did no harm to anybody.



STATE SEAL OF LOUISIANA.

But in the heart of man, alone of all living creatures, there appears to be an instinct of killing and destruction. Animals kill other creatures for food; man seems to kill from mere wicked delight in taking life. Men landed on the pelicans' island and shot them from mere wantonness. When these birds fly they lay their heavy heads back upon their bodies and sail high in air in great flocks. They are a wonderful sight. When they fish, also in flocks, they form a horseshoe shaped line in the water of the fishing place. But as the tourists visited the pretty island year by year the great sailing flocks above it became smaller and smaller, the horseshoe shaped fishing line became shorter and shorter. There was danger the birds would be exterminated.

Then President Roosevelt ordered that Pelican Island should be made a government reservation, and guards now watch it, and henceforth the innocent birds will have their home to themselves.

Goodby to Little Dickie Dawdle-so

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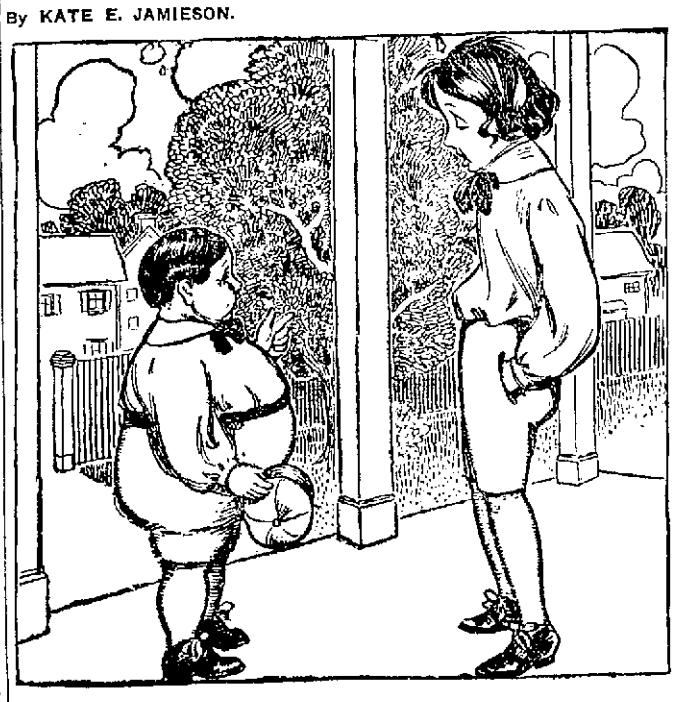


Little Dickie Dawdle-so
Got advice from Rhyming Joe,
Who told him, almost with a snicker,
That he should be a good deal quicker.
Further, as a parting sally,
Said, "You never see me dally."

Dickie, after Joe had gone,
Said, "Now, from this moment on,
Nevermore will I be late,
And make papa or mamma wait."
He kept his word, and Rhyming Joe
Declares we've lost our Dawdle-so.

PAPA AND THE BABY.

The five-year-old son was asking his father some severe questions about a recent addition to the family.

"Does that baby like ma?" the youngster asked sharply.

"Oh, yes, he likes your ma," said his father, "but he likes me, too."

Thereupon the five-year-old, from whom great things were expected, exclaimed:

"Likes you? Then why does he cry when he looks at you?"

Work Versus Play.

"There's one thing about me that I don't understand," said Tommy thoughtfully, "and that's why it is that making marks on wall papers is such lots of fun and making 'em in copybooks in school is such hard work."

Wicked Willie.

Sunday School Teacher—How many commandments are there, Willie?"

Willie—Ten.

Sunday School Teacher—And suppose you were to break one of them?

Willie—Then there'd only be nine.

Bertie's View of It.

"Whom do you take after, Bertie—your pa or your ma?"

"Neither of 'em. Ma an' me takes together. I'm gits wot's left—if there is any left."

SILLY SALLY'S CAKE.

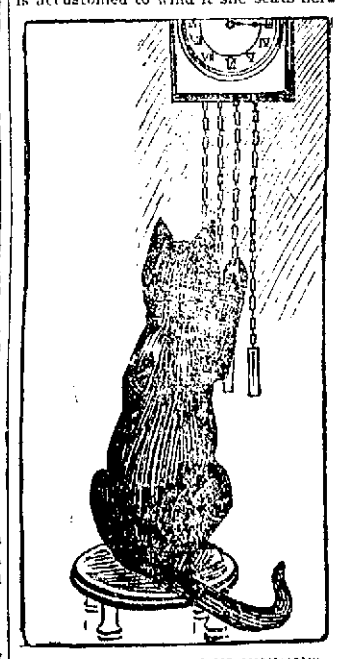
Silly Sally made a cake
And put some raisins in it;
She placed it in the oven hot
And left it there a minute.

Then she took it out again
To see if it was done,
But no, of course it was not baked—
It had only begun.

So then she put it back again
And left it there a day,
But when she went to take it out
The cake had burned away.

The Cat That Winds a Clock.

This is a picture of a cat that winds a clock. She does not forget it, but when the hour draws near in which she is accustomed to wind it she seats herself in front of it and watches until the hands point to the exact time. Then, climbing up, she catches the weight in her paws and drags it down. The clock is then wound up for another twenty-four hours. This valuable pussy belongs to a North Dakota farmer, who thinks she is worth her weight in gold.



KITTY AT THE CLOCK WEIGHT.

"Papa, what are the 'dogs of war?'"

"Bulldogs, Johnny."

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

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5.43	6.50	6.00	7.07
6.32	7.40	6.30	7.26
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6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
e7.02	8.02	e8.00	9.28
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4.02	4.45	5.38	6.26
4.25	5.30	5.47	6.54
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e6.18	8.00	10.30	11.34
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SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr	Lve	Arr
e6.39	7.30	9.00	10.07
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.59
9.20	10.22	e7.30	8.08
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WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
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BILLERICA.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conway, Sr., have returned after a week's visit to Nahant beach.

North Billerica council, R. A., will cross bats with Industry Council at Faulkner park tomorrow afternoon.

James F. Burry, of Boston, who has been visiting friends in the town during the past week returned to his home yesterday.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended meeting of Merrimack Valley lodge, Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F., was held last night and Deputy Riley of Lawrence was present at the meeting to install the recently elected warden. Six candidates were also initiated. The lodge voted the sum of $25 from the treasury to aid those of its members who had been bodily injured or had lost property in the recent explosion. A committee was appointed for the distribution of the money and relief.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, No. 24, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and decided to hold an outing tomorrow. The principal attraction will be a ball game between Lowell lodge and Samuel Hines lodge. The game will be played at the Uneeda Boat club grounds in Billerica. The following committee is in charge: Sam G. Lyness, Robert Rutherford, Wm. H. Walker, for Lowell lodge; W. S. Shaw, H. C. Bee and H. C. Bowen for Samuel Hines lodge.

Races, Sports and Bowling on the Green, Bunting Grounds.

BULLET PROOF VEST

SHOT FIRED AT MAN HAD NO EFFECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 14.—In the squad room of the Desplaines street police station yesterday a big policeman pulled his revolver from his hip pocket, took deliberate aim at a man standing at the end of the room and fired. The man did not drop dead, but turned a smiling face at his adversary, who then fired three more shots in rapid succession, which all went wide of the mark. Half a dozen officers in the room looked on with deep interest during the shooting, and one of them said: "You would not catch me taking a chance like that, bullet-proof vest or not. There might be a hole in it some place." A bullet-proof vest invented by Cassimir Zieglen, stopped the leaden missiles. The vest is guaranteed to stop a Colt's 44 bullet at 20 paces. It was being tested for the edification of the police. The vest is made by a secret process, and resembles a heavy quilted silk cloth. It stops the bullets, however, and the man who wears it scarcely feels the impact of the missile.

Band Concert by Griffith's Band, Bunting Grounds, Saturday.

HAVE YOU SEEN 'EM?

Warranted Tooth Brushes (worth 25c to 35c.) selling for 17c. at Howard's, the Druggist, 197 Central street. A new brush if the bristles come out.

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Lawn Party Under Auspices of Altar Society of St. Michael's Church—Large Attendance and Fine Entertainment Provided

No prettier place for a lawn party can be found than St. Mary's grove in Collinsville, adjoining the little church where the Catholics of the town worship. Yesterday afternoon and last night the grove held fifteen hundred people who attended the party under the auspices of the Altar society of St. Michael's church, and a most enjoyable time was provided for both young and old. The numerous trees in the grove and surrounding it were ablaze with light and large reflectors placed behind mammoth lanterns, threw a gleam of light across the large space occupied by the dancing pavilion and the booths erected for the occasion. Japanese lanterns were strung from the topmost branches of the trees and near the booths were hung in great profusion.

The booths showed the decorative tact of the young ladies and each one presented a most beautiful appearance. So attractive were they and so persistent were the fair attendants in soliciting trade, that during the entire evening there was not a single dull moment. The ice cream was in great demand and the tonic table did a rushing business. The mystery table kept the great crowd of customers guessing all the time, and judging from the amount of candy disposed of there were many "sweet-toothed" people in the grove.

There was plenty of opportunity for dancing and floor director McKenna and his assistants were kept busy.

In the afternoon the children had the grounds to themselves save for one brief period when the grocery clerks of Lakeview avenue and Bridge street settled an old score at base ball, and the Bridge street lads won.

There was a Punch and Judy show for the little ones and sports occupied some of their time.

The affair was most successful, and quite a sum will be realized for the purpose of securing adornments for the altar at St. Michael's church. Rev. Denis Murphy, who is in charge of the Altar society and who aroused interest in last night's lawn party, desires to thank all the young men and women in the parish who lent their aid in making it a success, and also those who contributed to the different tables.

Following is a list of tables and attendants:

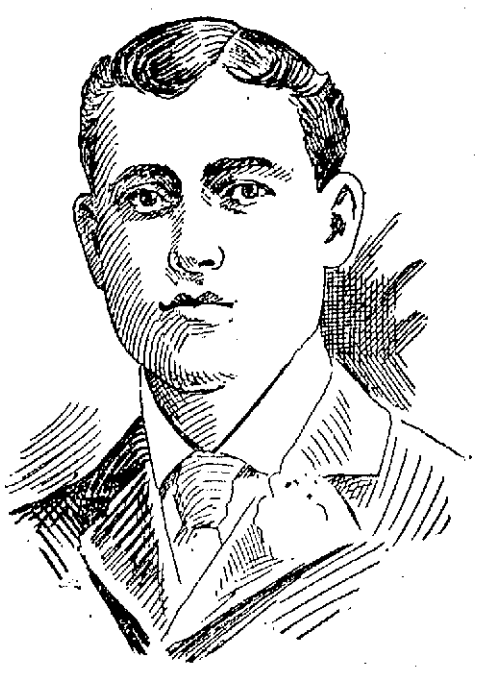
Refreshment table—Mrs. Philip Donahue, matron; Miss Anna Duffy, treasurer; Mrs. McArdle, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. McDonough, Mrs. Monahan, Mrs. McNeil, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Quinn, Miss Annie Bradley, Miss Margaret Chisholm, Miss Mary Breen, Miss Mary Nixon, Miss Mary Duffy, Miss Della McNally, Miss Susie Duffy, Mrs. Mathew McCaffrey, Miss Louise O'Connell, Miss Katherine White, Miss Hannah White.

Ice cream table—Mrs. Breen, Mrs. Campbell, matrons; Miss Mary Callahan, treasurer; Miss Alice Markin, Miss Alice Garrigan, Miss Ella Callahan, Miss Margaret Callahan, Miss Gertrude Doherty, Miss Mary Doherty, Miss Mary Minahan, Miss Margit Breen, Miss Nellie Breen, Miss Gertrude Donohue, Miss Josephine Donohue, MJiss Mary Furlong, Miss Jennie Joyce, Miss Catherine Murray, Miss Mary Riley, Miss Annie Lavoy, Miss Bushnell.

Lemonade and tonic table—Miss Margaret McCluskey, matron; Miss Agnes Callahan, treasurer; Miss Rose Dowd, Mrs. Calnin, Mrs. Foye, Miss Mary Joyce, Miss Marie Conger, Miss Martha Rogers, Miss Frances Hickey, Miss Etta Foye, Miss Mary Ryan, Miss Mary Healey, Miss Jennie McKinley, Miss Nellie Riley, Miss Mary Fitzgerald, Miss Fanny Bagley, Miss Mary Kenney, Miss Mary Grennan, Miss Katie Grennan, Miss Mary Leary, Miss Nettie Ready, Miss Marcella Murphy, Miss Gertrude Shaw, Miss Annie Logan, Miss Lizzie Logan, Miss Julia King, Miss Etta Courtney, Miss Mary Caolig, Miss Bugshaw, Miss Annie Donovan, Miss May Kennedy.

Candy table—Miss Katherine Chisholm, matron; Miss Mary Brown, treasurer; Miss Minnie Connell, Miss Margaret Connell, Miss Katherine Connell, Miss Mamie Owens, Miss Jennie Fucell, Miss Alice Fucell, Miss Jennie McKinley, Miss Julia Henry, Miss Annie Chisholm, Miss Belle Chisholf, Miss Alice Bagley, Miss Ella Graham.

Fishing pond—Miss Lucy Sheridan, Miss Elizabeth Rafter, matrons; Miss Agnes R. Burns, Miss Rose McGlynn, Miss Mae Hubin, Miss Della Barry, Miss Clara Bates, Miss Kathryn McDonough, Miss Hattie Ancob, Miss Nettie Bokers, Miss Kathryn Murray, Miss Margaret Hubin, Miss Mae Fanning, Miss Katie Fanning, Mrs. Gwen Gilday, Mrs. Clarence Cunningham, Miss Nellie Maloney, Miss Kathryn Mackin, Miss Mae Burns, Miss Helen Dowd, Miss Anna Cronin, Miss Helen Fitzpatrick, Miss Greely, Miss Kelley, Miss Margaret Baxter, Miss Anna Englesby, Miss Bridget Joyce, Miss Hannah O'Neil, Miss Doris Burns, Miss Tena Flanders, Miss Agnes Sullivan, Miss Gertrude Reed, Miss Katherine Kenney, Miss Marrietta McGrath, Miss Jennie Maguire, Miss Eva Trainor, Miss Margaret McDonough, Miss Minnie Jones, Miss Della McNally, Miss Louise Rouche, Miss Alice Farning, Miss Agnes Bates, Miss Kathryn Hubin.



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BILLADEAU MAY DIE

HE HAS AN ATTACK OF HICCOUGHS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HINSDALE, Aug. 14.—Joseph Billadeau, 60 years, was attacked by hiccoughs on Sunday and his sufferings since have been intense and he is greatly reduced in strength and will die unless relief can be given him. He has been attended by physicians, who are puzzled over the continuance of the attack. Mr. Billadeau is a laboring man and has never before been attacked by this strange affliction. The case is serious and specialists have been sent for.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF THE SCOTT PROPERTY, NO. 24 CEDAR STREET, AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

By virtue of the power, authority and direction given to me as the executor of the will of Jane Scott, late of Lowell, Mass., deceased, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, regardless of the weather, the following described real estate:

A two-tenement house and about 2600 square feet of land, situated on the easterly side of Cedar street. The lot has a frontage of 38 feet on Cedar street and is 70 feet in depth, is very dry and all fenced in.

The building is a two-tenement house; consisting of 5 rooms and water closet on the first floor; 4 rooms on the second floor, also 2 finished attics with the upper tenement. An extra dry cellar, good sewerage and water service, also plenty of yard room.

This will certainly make a very good home for someone of moderate means, and it is in an excellent location for renting property.

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Executor of the will of Jane Scott.

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KING'S SPEECH

Edward Touched by Reception by Irish People

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Both houses of parliament assembled early today to wind up the business of the session in the house of commons. Several questions were asked relating to matters of international interest. Premier Balfour, in a general reply, said there had been an unexpected delay in the Venezuelan question, which, however, was not due to Great Britain or Germany who had taken parallel action, but to the fact that France and Spain objected to the use of the English language by that tribunal. The question has been left to the tribunal itself to decide. He believed the court, whose members the czar had been requested to nominate, would meet on the date originally fixed.

Regarding the complaints that the government was showing a lack of sympathy with Macedonia, Mr. Balfour pointed out that any of the deep sources of mischief was the dissensions among the Christians. It was not the Turk alone, deep as his guilt undoubtedly was, who was responsible for the miserable conditions. It would be folly to forget that the Christians committed atrocities on Christians. The government was still of the opinion that the best policy was to support the Austro-Russian endeavors to improve the administration.

Dealing with the protests against puzzling the house on the fiscal controversy, the premier said he thought there was no necessity for undue hurry in discussing the matter. There was no pending fiscal question before parliament, nor would there be one during the currency of the present parliament. With a final fling from Winston Churchill who seemed doubtful whether the present parliament would meet again and to characterize the premier's policy of transferring the fiscal discussion from parliament to the country as that of a demagogue, the sitting was suspended.

Subsequently, the house was summoned to the house of lords to hear the king's proroguing parliament read. The speech was of little general or international interest. It referred to the cordiality of his majesty's reception in Portugal, Italy and in France and to the return visit of President Loubet "whose visit has given rise to a striking exhibition of the feelings of mutual good will which prevail in the two countries.

The most interesting portion of the speech to America deals with Ireland. It says:

"The warm expressions of good will with which I was everywhere received greatly touched me. My visit enabled me to realize how much was being attempted to improve the housing accomodations for the working population, stimulate commercial activity, advance the methods of agriculture, develop technical education and provide for the sick and infirm. Much remains to be done, but it was with feelings of the deepest gratification that I noticed signs of increasing concord among all classes in Ireland, presaging, as I hope, a new era of united efforts for the general welfare."

Referring to the Irish land bill, the speech says it offers inducements to the land owners to continue their residence among their countrymen and provides facilities for improving the conditions of life in the poorer districts of the west. It adds:

"This reform, by removing the ancient causes of social dissention will, I heartily trust, conduce to the common benefit of all my Irish subjects."

Reference is made in the speech to the general anxiety regarding the situation in the European provinces of Turkey, to the great progress made in the work of resettlement and pacification in South America and the improvement in the conditions of agriculture and finance in India.

After the reading of the speech, parliament was prorogued till Nov. 2.

There has probably never been a prorogation of parliament when the future of the government was so uncertain as it is in the case on this occasion. Many believe there will be a dissolution in the autumn, though the best information does not support this belief. Mr. Balfour's speech at Sheffield at the end of September is awaited with the keenest interest as it will contain a pronouncement of policy which will possibly force either the Duke of Devonson—a pronounced free trader—or Colonial Sec. Chamberlain to resign. The members of parliament will curtail their holidays, the free food leaguers, in order to open the fiscal campaign as speedily as possible and the followers of Mr. Chamberlain aim to repel the attack.

FINANCIAL LEGISLATION

DISCUSSED BY THE PRESIDENT AND HIS CALLERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 14—Financial legislation and other work of the proposed extraordinary session of congress were discussed today by the president with several of his callers. The first arrivals were Secretaries Shaw and Hitchcock respectively of the treasury and interior departments. In addition to some departmental questions, which they desired to bring to the president's attention, they considered with him the suggestions made by the members of the senate sub-committee of finance at their conference with the president Wednesday night, particularly with regard to an extraordinary session of congress at a date earlier than Nov. 9. Considerable opposition has developed in the idea of calling the extra session in October. The point is made that many senators and representatives will be engaged during October in their state campaigns and that it would be politically unwise for them to leave their states at such a time. It was announced today that no definite conclusion regarding the date of the extraordinary session yet has been reached and that no decision would be announced until the president shall have consulted members of both branches of congress and others.

CONDITION CRITICAL

IT IS THOUGHT CUBAN BOY WILL RECOVER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The condition of Jose Vegas, the Cuban boy who was picked up off the coast of Georgia by the steamship Eldorado, is still critical according to the hospital physicians, but he is believed to be recovering slowly from the effects of starvation and exposure.

COUNTERFEITING TOOLS

FOUND IN A HOUSE IN SPRINGFIELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 14—A complete set of counterfeiting tools, excepting for the dies, was discovered in an Adams street house in this city today by Chief Cash of Westfield and Sergeant Radd of this city. A man named O'Leary who claims to live in the Adams house, Boston, was arrested as the principal.

Two men who were arrested recently for vagrancy in Westfield, named James Kelley and William Sadler, are being held in connection with the discovery. It was through the finding of 86 counterfeit half dollars on Kelley that the find was made. Secret Service officers are now working here on the case.

STEAMER BORDEAUX

SADLY DAMAGED ANOTHER STEAMER WHILE DOCKING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVRE, Aug. 14—The French steamer Bordeaux, Captain Lafarrie, which arrived here today from New York, while docking collided with and extensively damaged the Honfleur-Trouville steamers Augustin Normand and Francois I.

TEAMSTERS' OUTING.

Hanssons' teamsters will hold their annual outing at Long Pond, Sunday, and all the teamsters in the city will take part in the outing.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullen of Pond street.

If we lie, we contract debts that have to be met in future loss and unpleasantness. The publisher who lies about the circulation of his paper, not only injures himself, but attracts the average merchant to an atmosphere of injustice and falsehood.

THE WEATHER

By Associated Press to The Sun

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NERVOUS CASES

More of Them Resulting From Explosion

Two More Cases Among Riverside Park Residents—Chairman Blaisdell Forced to Take a Rest—Additional Contributions Today

The number of victims of nervous disorders as the result of the Riverside park explosion appears to be daily increasing.

The case of Mrs. Wilkinson is mentioned in another column. This morning the attention of Rev. Mr. Wright, the relief agent, was called to Albert Richardson of Billerica street, the latest victim of nervousness, who has become unable to work on account of nervous disorders.

Mr. Richardson, his wife and child were injured in the disaster and worry over the condition of his wife and child has completely shattered Mr. Richardson's nerves. The family are now residing in Tewksbury centre.

A sad case is that of Mrs. Benjamin Staveley of Lee avenue. At the time of the explosion it was thought that Mrs. Staveley had escaped with only a few cuts, but being an elderly woman the shock has told on her most severely and she is now in a bad way. Other cases are coming to light daily and it is believed that a great number of cases of nervous diseases will be another result of the tragic event.

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

The following contributions were received this afternoon:

Chester W. Clark	$10.00
Louis Alexander	10.00
Emulus Thompson Commandery	5.00

Contributions of clothing, bedding, etc., were received at the relief depot today from the following: Mrs. E. D. Foss, Mrs. F. G. Rundlett, Mrs. F. E. Harmon and seven friends who desired their names withheld.

CLAIMS COMMITTEE.

The members of the sub-committee on claims met at the upper end of Warwick street this afternoon and resumed their work of investigating the property losses.

MILLS WILL HELP.

The local mills have been taking up collections for the sufferers of the recent explosion. The relief committee invited the local mills to raise money in the mills but learned that the Tremont & Suffolk, Massachusetts, Merrimack and Hamilton mills had already started raising money for the sufferers. It is also understood that the Lowell Machine shop is raising money.

CHAIRMAN BLAISDELL RETIRES.

Chairman Albert Blaisdell, of the Tewksbury selectmen, has been advised by his physician to go away for a few days and take a rest as he is nearly broken down. Since the explosion Mr. Blaisdell has been working night and day and in order to avoid a general breakdown of his health he was advised to go away for a while.

NOT FAVORED BY SUFFERERS.

Editor Sun: In looking over Wednesday's Sun, I saw the announcement of the inquest of one of the victims of the explosion and the announcement that the inquest is to be private is not received by the many sufferers favorably.

Yours Respectfully,
A SUFFERER.

UPS AND DOWNS

Boy Aeronaut at Willow Dale

HAS HAD SOME VERY NARROW ESCAPES

Got Mixed up in the Lake

The boy aeronaut whose parachute jumps are a heap of attraction at Willow Dale has had a few very narrow escapes during the week.

Yesterday afternoon he descended on Bowers' barn, the parachute went down one side of the building and he the other. With the exception of a sprained ankle he was none the worse for his experience.

It was on Tuesday, however, that he had the narrowest escape. He landed in the lake and although well versed in aeronautism he failed to release himself from the parachute before it landed and he and the umbrella machine took a dip together. His feet were tangled in the ropes and he could not release them.

Captain MacComack of the steamer Mascupple went to his assistance and he didn't arrive any too soon. The young aeronaut was pretty nearly all in and grasped at the line thrown from the steamer with the eagerness of a drowning man. The captain and his crew were unable to pull the boy in. The parachute was holding him down and when finally on board he told the captain that he didn't have an ounce of courage left. "If you'd been two minutes later," he said, "it would have been all up with me."

KILLED HIMSELF

PRIZE FIGHTER FIRST TRIED TO KILL HIS WIFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 14.—Overton T. Wilson, a prize fighter today attempted to kill his wife and then killed himself. Mrs. Wilson was injured by jumping from a window to save her life.

GOODWIN HOME

Was Discharged From the Hospital Today

Mr. Goodwin, the man whom it has been stated threw some kind of an antagonizing acid on the nitro glycerine, thus causing the recent disastrous explosion at South Lowell, left St. John's hospital this afternoon.

Mr. Goodwin is looked upon as the most important witness in the whole affair. He is still very feeble and had to be assisted to the carriage in which he was conveyed to his home today. The doctors say that he will be able to attend the inquest which opens in the police station at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

PENFIELD SAILS

WILL ASSIST IN THE VENEZUELAN AWARDS CASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—William L. Penfield, solicitor for the Federal State department, sailed today on the steamship Cedric en route to The Hague where he will be associated with Wayne McVeugh and Herbert W. Bowen in the presentation of the American-Venezuelan side of the controversy relative to the preferential payment of awards against Venezuela.

Harry Payne Whitney and wife also sailed on the Cedric.

GOES TO NEW YORK.

The Andrews Dyspepsia cure, owned by the E. C. Andrews company of this city, has been purchased by a New York concern, of which Hon. John Lewis Childs is president.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Cotton: Spot closed steady. Middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00. Sales 1,659 bales.

BOSTON CLEARING HOUSE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Clearing house statement:

Exchanges $21,756,580.
Balances $417,738.

Miss Elizabeth E. Mangan of 127 Hildreth street and Miss Agnes Madigan of 23 Bassett street left this city today for a two weeks' sojourn at the beaches along the north shore.

JETT AND WHITE

Sentenced to Prison for Life

CONVICTED OF ASSASSINATION OF MARCUM

Motion Will be Made for New Trial

By Associated Press to The Sun

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 14.—The jury in the case of Curtis Jett and Thomas White, charged with the assassination of James B. Marcum at Jackson, Ky., this morning returned a verdict of guilty, fixing the punishment of each at life imprisonment.

The verdict was returned at a time when there were but few persons in the court room. The only attorney present was County Attorney Webster. Jett received the verdict with comparative indifference and calmness. White who has apparently been under a severe strain during the trial, flushed up and his eyes filled with tears. Attorney Golden for the defence, stated that a motion for a new trial would be made as soon as possible. The verdict occasioned little surprise. The only question that caused the delay, it is said, was whether to make the punishment death or life imprisonment.

DYNAMITE IN CELL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINCHESTER, Ky., Aug. 14.—The discovery of two sticks of dynamite in the cell in the Clark county jail formerly occupied by Curtis Jett, the convicted assassin of J. B. Marcum of Breathitt, has given rise to a story of a plot to release Jett during the time he was confined here awaiting trial. The dynamite was found in a water pipe by a negro who is the only prisoner who has occupied the cell since Jett was removed. The quantity of the explosive was sufficient to have blown the jail to atoms.

AGAINST POWERS

Henry Youtsey Gives More Testimony

By Associated Press to The Sun

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Aug. 14.—In the trial of former Secretary of State Caleb Powers for complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel, today the cross examination of Henry Youtsey was resumed by Attorney Violett of the defence. A large crowd was present to see the noted prisoner and hear him testify. The attorney took the witness over his movements for a day before the shooting of Goebel and after the arrival of Howard in Frankfort. Youtsey said he expected Howard on the morning of January 30 as he had seen preparations in the Agricultural building for trouble.

He admitted that he made conflicting statements immediately following his arrest at Frankfort, which do not now conform to his sworn statements. He said that on his own trial in October, 1900, he pretended to have a fit in the court house here to avoid going on the witness stand and to excite the sympathy of the jury.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION

DISCUSSED PROPOSED CHANGE IN GENERAL LAW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The International Typographical union at today's session spent some time in the discussion of a proposed change in section 83, general law, to provide that in job printing offices in cities where the eight-hour day has been secured six hours over time a week may be allowed without corresponding loss of time the following week.

The committee on laws vigorously opposed this and the whole matter was indefinitely postponed.

One of the important propositions coming from the committee on laws and which was adopted by the union was that which permits subordinate unions to incorporate in exceptional cases.

WRECKING TUG

GOES TO AID OF THE MASSACHUSETTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—The large wrecking tug Storm King, owned by the Boston Tow-boat company, sailed this afternoon for the purpose of assisting the battleship Massachusetts at Bar Harbor, Me., where the warship lies in a leaking condition. The tug first called at the navy yard, where a large pump, several fleats and other ship-fittings were taken on board. Several experienced divers went with the tug. The Storm King should reach Bar Harbor about noon tomorrow. Her main work will be to pump out the compartments of the man-of-war which are filled with water.

The securing of the Storm King is the result of orders received from Washington by Rear Admiral Johnson.

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FRENCH IN COURT

The Alleged Dog Poisoner Was Without Counsel

His Case Was Continued to August 20—Worcester Man Carried a Gambling Device—Erring Couple Held

William H. French, whose arrest for the alleged poisoning of dogs in Centralville caused quite a sensation a week ago, was in police court today. Peter A. Fay, counsel for Mr. French, was not in court and the case was continued. Mr. Fay was engaged in the superior court at Boston and his engagement there had been made precious to the continuance of Mr. French's case. The case was continued to Aug. 20.

CARRIED SWEAT BOARD.

John M. Kelly came here from Worcester yesterday and up to the time that he got drunk was to all intent and purposes an honest man. John succeeded, however, in finding a place where the red eye was being dished out at ten per copy, and, thinking he was being unusually well treated in a no-license town, proceeded to fill up. John got very drunk, helplessly drunk, and the rubber tired vehicle at police station was sent for. John was locked up and the only kick he registered was when the arresting officer started in to search his pockets. John said it was no fair to search his pockets. "You may find something that will look sus-sus-sus-p-icious," said John, "but tell the truth there's no harm in me." While John was talking the officer had gone down into his pocket and brought out a sweat board and the necessary dice with which to play the game. John said he was not in the habit of gambling. He carried the board, he said, to amuse himself when he was alone in a strange place. The court, upon hearing his story, thought it was a strange one and imposed a fine of $6.

STOLE COPPER WIRE.

Thomas O'Donnelly, 15, John J. Shelby, 15, and William J. Griffin, charged with the larceny of copper wire, the property of the Boston & Northern street railway, were fined $10 each.

Manuel P. Quados was charged with buying junk from minors. He it was who bought the copper wire that the boys stole and Judge Hadley said that he intends putting his foot down good and hard on junke dealers who buy from minors, thus encouraging them to steal. Quados was fined $25.

HELD IN $500 EACH.

Clarence Fife and Fannie Douglas, charged with adultery, were ordered in $500 each for their appearance before the court Aug. 17.

TWINS ARE DEAD

One Buried Yesterday, the Other Today

Catherine McDermott, aged seven months, child of Anthony and Rose McDermott, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 30 Stanley street, Centralville.

Catherine was the twin sister of Rose who died the day before yesterday and whose funeral took place yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. McDermott have the sympathy of their many friends and acquaintances in their double affliction.

The funeral of Catherine took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

NEGRO LYNCHING

NEGRO WOMEN DISCUSSED THE SUBJECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 14.—Following the discussion of the negro lynching at yesterday's meeting of the convention of the Northeastern Federation of Women's clubs (colored) the delegates today adopted a resolution to be forwarded to President Roosevelt, expressing the federation's grateful appreciation of his "impartial dealing with all questions pertaining to the protection of our race."

At the morning session, Miss Roberta J. Dunbar of Providence, R. I., was re-elected president and Mrs. Alice Wiley of Brooklyn, N. Y., first vice-president.

NEW HEADQUARTERS

WILL BE OPENED BY STREET R. R. UNION TONIGHT.

The local branch of the Street Railway Men's union will tonight open their new headquarters on the third floor of the Union Bank building in Merrimack street. The new apartments consist of two large and airy rooms appointed with all modern conveniences. One will be used for meetings and the other for recreation purposes. After the business meeting the doors will be thrown open to the friends of the union, and a social session will be held.

Mrs. Thomas O'Hare and her daughters, Mamie and Rose, of Summer street, are spending the week at Revere beach.

TONIGHT'S FIGHT

Will be Bulletined by The Sun

The Sun will megaphone and bulletin the Corbett-Jeffries fight tonight. Come down to The Sun building and hear the news. The fight will not start until midnight, eastern time, but the preliminaries will be put on early and these will be announced from The Sun office.

CAPTAIN COWLES

REPORTS ON CONDITION OF THE MASSACHUSETTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14—Capt. W. S. Cowles, acting chief of the bureau of navigation, today issued the following bulletin concerning the condition of the battleship Massachusetts now at Bar Harbor:

"The latest report from the Massachusetts states that undoubtedly temporary repairs can be made which will enable her to safely proceed to a navy yard."

Captain Emory sent the following dispatch to the navy department, dated Bar Harbor, today:

"Everything regarding the Massachusetts progressing satisfactorily. Ship lightened to her normal flotation. Naval Constructor Gilmore reported this morning. Will be given every facility to exert ability fitting Massachusetts to voyage to dock. When materials arrive vessel will be pumped dry and rendered water-tight. Meanwhile no apprehension for her safety. Have communicated with commandant at Boston."

Officials at the department are unable to say how long the Massachusetts must remain at Bar Harbor. It is intended that the vessel when patched up shall proceed to the New York navy yard for docking under her own steam.

JOHN LYMAN'S BODY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANDOVER, Mass., Aug. 14.—The body of a boy later identified as John Lyman of Lowell was found in the Merrimack river near the West Andover bank, this morning. The remains were removed to Lowell.

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THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

FEARFUL HAVOC

Spread by Recent Cyclone in Martinique

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The state department has received the following cablegram from John J. Jewell, American consul at Martinique, dated Fort de France today:

"Cane, cocoa and coffee crops total loss. Fruits and vegetables positively destroyed. Every town and village injured. Thousands of houses down. Deaths few. Communication difficult. Breadstuffs, provisions, galvanized roofing will find ready sale."

KNOCKOUT BLOW

Hotel Employes Had Fist Fight

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 14.—As a result of a fist fight between Howard Cates, aged 25, of Boston, a waiter in a hotel at Bayview, and John Pombrant, aged 35, of Biddeford, steward at the same hotel, yesterday afternoon, the latter received a blow which rendered him unconscious for a couple of hours.

At one time it was feared that he would die, but last night he was better, and the attending physician said that unless something unforseen developed, he would recover. He was taken to a Biddeford hospital.

The fight occurred in a grove back of the hotel, and was witnessed by no one except a little boy, who was not able to tell much about the struggle.

After delivering the knockout blow, young Cates ran to the hotel, where he informed his associates in the dining room that he had knocked Pombrant out, but said he had done so in self-defence. He told them to go to the scene as quickly as possible. He then went to his wife, who was at the hotel, and bidding her goodby, came to Old Orchard and gave himself up.

Great excitement was caused by one of the employes rushing into the room where the waiters were assembled and shouting that Pombrant was dead. Mrs. Cates, who was present, was prostrated. She afterwards recovered and went to Boston on the evening train.

According to her story Pombrant has been overbearing to her husband for some time, and yesterday challenged him to a fight after dinner was served.

About 3 p. m. the men went to the grove alone, and a few minutes later her husband came running into the room and bade her goodby.

Cates is powerfully built. He is detained at police headquarters pending the result of Pombrant's injuries.

WAS NOT MISSED

Bond Long Stolen Found in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 14.—Leverett Webster, a farmer of the west parish of this city, is $1000 richer than he was Wednesday night, but by the discovery of the fact learns that he is actually $500 poorer than he supposed himself to be Wednesday.

The paradox is explained by the fact that he was robbed of $1500 in bonds, he supposes about five years ago, and never knew it until the Boston police recovered a $1000 bond and traced it to his ownership, notifying him through the Haverhill police.

The bond was offered in a Boston broker's office some days ago by a stranger, who could not account for its possession and who fled when accused of stealing it. The Boston police were notified and the registration of the bond traced, resulting in a notice being sent to Haverhill.

Mr. Webster accompanied Inspector Durgin of the Haverhill police force to Boston yesterday and identified and recovered his $1000 bond, but the smaller one is still missing.

TRAP SHOOT HELD

By the Rod and Gun Club Yesterday

The Lowell Rod and Gun club held a grand shoot on its grounds yesterday afternoon, and invited the ex-members to take part in the sport. It was the intention of the young members to show the old clay pigeon men how to break blue rocks, but they found it was as hard for the "husbens" to forget as it is for the "wouldbes" to learn.

An interesting feature of the day was a five bird event, on the live bird system. This gave the shooter the privilege of using the second barrel if he missed with the first. This event was suggested by Alderman Derby and proved very interesting and laughable.

Later in the afternoon sides were chosen with G. C. Moore and E. A. Smith as captains, with both teams evenly matched. The result was:

Moore's team 112.
Smith's team 109.

The individual scores were as follows:

Henry Rule	10	9	10	7	6	6	7	7	9	.788
Henry Fletcher	6	6	6	9	10	7	6	7		.712
Chas. Frost	7	5	6	6	9					.660
F. McKittrick	6	8	3	6						.555
Mr. Morse								6	7	.650
Bert Currier	9	5	4	9	4	7	5			.614
Geo. C. Moore	5	5	9	5	6	8				.640
Elma Laney	6	6	5	5	8	6				.600
John Faulkner	6	6	5	8	6	4				.583
Frank McKittrick	8	9	3	6						.555
L. A. Colt	4	4	4	6	8	6	8			.571
Eddie Quaker	4	5	6	7						.520
Frank Putnam	8	4	5	6	4					.545
Dr. Downs	4	5	8	4						.525
E. A. Smith	5	4	5	6	4	7	5			.511
Henry Rumels	5	4	5	6	5	4	6			.485
Geo. V. Gregg	5	4	6	2	6	3				.433
H. Lance	1	0	2	3	6					.250

NOTE TO POWERS

ON ACTS OF OPPRESSION IN MACEDONIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Aug. 14—The Bulgarian government is preparing a memorandum to the powers, giving statistics of the acts of oppression by the Turkish officials in Macedonia since the institution of the reform program three months ago and other evidence in support of Bulgaria's belief in the hopelessness of expecting a good result from the Russo-Austrian reform plan.

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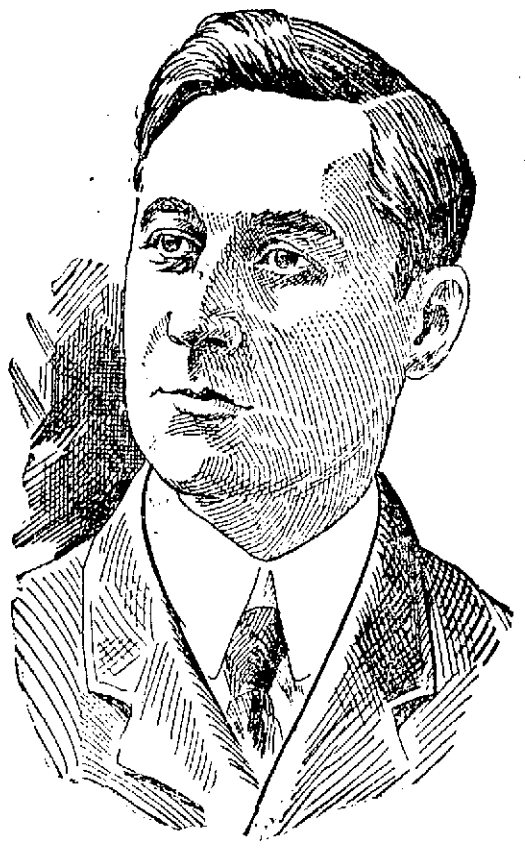

LIEUT. ROBERT J. CROWLEY.

Elected Commander of the Spanish War Vets

Robert J. Crowley of this city was elected corps commander of the Spanish War Veterans of this state at a convention held in Faneuil hall, Boston, last night.

Capt. M. J. Murray of Major Grady command of Boston presided over the convention and the national commander-in-chief, M. Emmet Urell of Washington, D. C., congratulated the state organization on the progress made since the organization was started.

Lieut. Robert J. Crowley of the Lowell command was nominated by Capt. Frank Dodge and was elected by acclamation. Then followed the election of subordinate officers and the result of the balloting was as follows:

Corps commander, Robert J. Crowley of General Ames Command, Lowell.

Senior vice commander, Capt. Michael J. Murphy of Maj. Grady Command, East Boston.

Junior vice commander, Wilson Brown, Henry Williams Command of Taunton.

Corps inspector, Capt. Barry, Lieut. Crane Command, Boston.

Medical inspector, T. F. Devlin, Major Grady Command, East Boston.

Chaplain, G. F. Broder of Henry Williams Command, Taunton.

Council of administration, Capt. William Fairweather of Gen. Ames Command, Lowell; M. J. Cashman of Maj. Grady Command; A. F. Hathaway of Henry Williams Command; G. F. Nickerson of Lieut. Crane Command.

Delegates to national encampment at New Haven, Conn., Sept. 28, 29, 30, 1903: Capt. Frank Dodge of Gen. Ames Command, Comrade Griger of Henry Williams Command, Capt. Michael Murphy of Maj. Grady Command, Comrade Bremen of Maj. Grady Command and Comrade Michael McLaughlin of Lieut. Crane Command. Alternates, 1st Lieut. Frank A. Boyle of Gen. Ames Command, J. C. Gibbons of Maj. Grady Command, J. A. Welch of Henry Williams Command and William H. Grady and Edwin Burke of Maj. Grady Command.

Corps Commander Robert J. Crowley, by virtue of his office, heads the list of delegates to the national encampment.

After the election the new officers were installed. Commander Crowley addressed the delegates and thanked them for the honor conferred on him and said that his every effort would be directed in the way of benefitting the organization. He asked for the co-operation of all the members in the state and assured them that the Massachusetts branch will be made second to none in the country.

Adjutant General Dyer of Washington and Capt. Frank Dodge of this city were among the speakers.

The delegates from Gen. Ames command of this city were: Capt. Frank Dodge, Capt. Fairweather, Capt. Philip McNulty, Lieut. Robert Crowley and Lieut. Frank Boyle.

Adjt. M. H. Harrington, Sergeant Ralph W. Clogston, Q. M. James Greig, Comrade Wm. Jelly and Sergt. of the Guard Hart of this city attended the convention.

FOX'S "FAIRIES"

Had Argument With Gormley's "Goats"

Fox's "Fairies" and Gormley's "Goats" had at it at Mountain Rock yesterday afternoon and the "Fairies" won.

It was a base ball game they attempted to play, and the event was pulled off in connection with the annual outing of Industry Council, R. A.

A large number of members and their lady friends attended and enjoyed the afternoon's sport which was followed by dancing in the evening.

The ball game score puzzled all, for at the close of the contest each side claimed the game and the prizes went to the umpire. Fox claimed victory by a score of 2 to 1, and Gormley said his side won 46 to 18. Here is the way the teams lined up:

Fox's Fairies—McKenna c, Sullivan 1b, H. Walker lf, Mower and Farrell ss, Richardson 3b, Murray 2b, Ford cf, Ivers lf.

Gormley's "Goats"—McDonald p, Campbell c, Rourke 1b, J. Walker 2b, Boulger and Gormley ss, Looney 3b, Mehan rf, J. Rogers cf, and Mayo lf. Grand Regent T. P. Tierney of Cambridge umpired the game.

Dan Sullivan won the fat man's race and Matt McCann was the speedy one in the 100 yards' dash with Billy Looney second.

The events for ladies were pulled off in front of the pavilion. Three contestants showed up in the melon race, Mrs. A. W. David taking first position, Mrs. Jessie Richardson winning a corner lot for taking second place and Miss Richardson coming in third.

This same trio entered the 100-yards' dash, Mrs. Richardson winning by a good margin, with Mrs. David second and Miss Richardson third.

Supper was served at 6 o'clock and afterwards there was dancing in the pavilion until 10 o'clock.

BISHOP HENDRICK

WAS A VISITOR AT THE VATICAN TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—The Rev. Thomas Hendrick, bishop of Cebu, Philippines, called at the vatican today and saw the officials of the congregation of the propaganda. He also paid visits to Cardinal Gibbons and Satolli. The bishop is accompanied by his brother, Father Joseph Hendrick. Both will assist at tomorrow's consecration of the Rev. J. J. Harty, as archbishop of Manila.

Miss Lulu G. Wright of North Pelham, N. H., is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Goodale of Davis square.

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WENT FAST MILE

Major Delmar Made 2.04 Mark

HE IS EXPECTED TO MAKE FASTER TIME

Billy Buck Won the 2.12 Event

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Major Delmar's mile in 2:04 and Billy Buck's fast race in the 2:12 trot were the bright spots in the day's doings at the Empire City track.

Major Delmar's great mile was trotted in a successful effort to lower the 2:04¾ he made two weeks ago at Albany. That the bold going grandson of Electioneer will some time become a champion hardly admits of doubt. He is now three-quarters of a second behind the mark which makes The Abbot king of trotting geldings. Alta McDonald has brought the Major along slowly, and before his start yesterday had only trotted five miles faster than 2:10. He makes his next try for a record at Readville and over the parlor track of the Breeders' association he should trot a mile faster than New Englanders have ever seen.

The weather conditions yesterday were quite favorable for fast time, and the track was in better shape than before this week. McDonald sent his horse away very slowly, the quarter being reached at a 2:03 clip. Man and horse were in a hurry going out of the turn, and only one-quarter of a second more than a minute was used in trotting the middle half. The pace slackened down on the home stretch, as the great gelding faced the slight breeze.

Only Cresceus, Lou Dillon, The Abbot and Alix have trotted miles faster than this one.

Billy Buck's good race in the 2:12 trot shows that "Pa" Geers has a look in for the $20,000 Bonner memorial and the $15,000 Massachusetts purses. The first heat was in 2:07 1-4 and so close was it that Frances B., who finished fifth, was timed a shade better than 2:08. Billy Buck has not been beaten this year, and was, of course, made favorite over his field. Geers made one of his waiting drives in the first heat, came out of the rear ranks and then won with a brush down the stretch. At the distance flag he had overhauled Hawthorne and was going easy. Andrews brought Promise up like a runaway and to stall the black horse off Geers was forced to tap his pupil and rally him to get him home first. The mile in 2.07¼ is the winner's first appearance in the 2.10 list. That the mile was no scratch he demonstrated by taking the second heat, without an apparent effort, in 2.08¼.

Billy Buck cost Geers $2600 last fall, and he has already won six races for him. He is a fine-looking gelding and as good-gaited a trotter as one often sees.

Scott Hudson won a good race with the grandson of Onward, Nervolo beating the favorite, Joe Pointer. The latter did not act like a real high-class race horse, but at that the time was pretty fast, 2.05¾, 2.06¼, 2.06¼. Hudson laid Nervolo up the second heat, which was won by Sufreet, a daughter of Alcantara.

The Directum gelding, Judge Green, carried the money in the slow trot, and made the issue a brief one by winning in straight heats.

Al Rock, a nice-looking black horse from Texas, whom Jack Curry is teaming, scored his second win of the week, beating the famous Mush in 2.08¼, 2.09.

1000 SPECIMENS

SECURED BY EXPEDITION SENT OUT FROM CALIFORNIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—The first of a series of expeditions organized by the California Academy of Sciences in this city, which left here in April last to explore the islands of the Pacific coast, has just returned after a voyage extending over 4000 miles in the schooner Marie Sachs. About 1000 specimens of birds were secured, together with many valuable botanical specimens, while 20 gallons of alcohol were filled with snakes and lizards. The islands of Socorro, Clarion and the Revellagigede group were visited. An active volcano, 400 feet high was found on Socorro, while wild sheep abound on this island, and Gaudaloup is over-run with goats.

LORD SALISBURY

ENJOYED A FAIRLY RESTFUL NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Aug. 14—Lord Salisbury passed a fairly restful night. There is no material change in his condition this morning, though Lord Robert Cecil says his father seems slightly stronger.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by Goodale's Drug Store. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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The carriage way on the Aiken street bridge is again closed. The trouble this time is with the wooden paving blocks which have become warped by the action of the rain. The difficulty is being remedied.

Miss Susan F. McGarr of Highland avenue, Malden, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Harley on Crosby street.

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EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

IS SLOWLY DYING

A Sad Result of the Recent Explosion

Mrs. Esther Wilkinson, aged 43 years, wife of William Wilkinson, agent for the Provident Life Insurance company, is slowly dying and her condition is the sad result of the Riverside Park explosion.

Mrs. Wilkinson is now at 17 Anderson street though at the time of the explosion she lived at 60 Billerica street in the house owned by Thomas England, which was almost totally destroyed.

Her name has not appeared in the list of seriously injured, but she has been under the care of Dr. J. B. O'Connor since the day of the explosion.

The unfortunate woman's injuries are purely of a nervous and mental nature. Not a cut or bruise appears upon her body, but her nervous condition is such that she can eat nothing while her mind has become unsettled.

Her husband states that when lying in bed awake she is perfectly rational but when she closes her eyes to sleep she will suddenly start up and scream, "Oh, it is coming again." When the hallucination comes on it is with difficulty that she is calmed. At times she sees again the work of carrying away the victims from the ruins and her recollection of Mrs. Galloway is particularly vivid.

She seems to realize in her lucid moments that unless relief from her hallunications comes quickly that she will die. Mr. Wilkinson said that the relief committee was giving him aid and that everything was being done his wife that was possible.

Mrs. Wilkinson had a narrow escape from instant death on the morning of the explosion. She was on the piazza in front of the house when the magazines blew up. The house fell in pieces around her and she remembers nothing until she found herself in the home of Josepr Stanley, further up Billerica street. Later on it was necessary to move her away from the scene of the explosion and she was taken to 17 Anderson street, where she now is. The couple have one daughter, 14 years of age, who was away from home at the time of the accident.

PHYSICIAN OFFERS SERVICES.

A local physician who did not care to have his name published has placed his services at the disposal of Rev. Mr. Wright, free of charge, day or night, for the sufferers and Mr. Wright gladly accepted the offer as there are quite a number among them who are ill or still suffering from their injuries.

CONTRIBUTION LIST.

The contribution list today is as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$13,152.98
Highland Council, R. A.	50.00
Post 120, G. A. R.	20.00
Total	$13,222.98
Boston contribution	1,075.00
Grand total	$14,297.98

The fund should at least reach $20,000 for while the amount in itself is large, when divided among a large number of people will not go very far.

HIGHLAND COUNCIL ACTS.

Highland council, R. A., held a largely attended meeting last evening. One new member was initiated and several applications were favorably acted upon. The council voted to give the sum of $50 towards the Relief fund to help the victims of the South Lowell catastrophe.

A letter of sympathy was also forwarded to Rochambeau council, R. A., on the sad bereavement of their late secretary, L. E. Richards, who met his death in the explosion at South Lowell.

Remarks were heard from several of the past officers, Brother Quinklinberg of Dorchester council, Dorchester, Mass., spoke interestingly. Whist was enjoyed after adjournment.

SUCCESSFUL LAWN PARTY.

The lawn party given by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Blood at their home, 30 Nichols street, last evening, for the benefit of Mrs. Charles Moore, whose husband was killed in the explosion, was a grand success and netted a substantial sum. The crowd was far too large to be accommodated on the grounds and hence the street in the vicinity was crowded with revelers. A hurdy-gurdy rendered lively music and Gypsy Jane told many a fortune. The refeshment booths were liberally patronized. It is expected that about $250 was raised.

Contributions are acknowledged as follows:

The Bon Marche Dry Goods company, Dr. Medina and L. J. Greely, for use of automobiles; Robertson & Co., dishes; Derby & Morse, electric lighting; Lowell Electric Light company, use of power; D. L. Page C.; J. A. Evans; Harry Richardson; Charles Killpatrick; A. W. Dows & Co.; F. P. Moody; E. G. Crockett; C. B. Coburn; R. A. Griffiths; Brown's market; Leach's bakery; Brown's bakery; Salto Peanut company; F. A. Warre; H. H. Russell; H. B. Green; W. Killpatrick; Dickson Tea Store; Boyle Bros.; G. G. Reed; Donovan & Co.; A. Cruikshank; Frank Lovett; W. H. I. Hayes; Buckland Printing company.

The following served at the tables:

Lemonade, Misses Ida Blood and Sadie Arthur; Messrs. Albert Richardson and Philip Taisey.

Ice cream, Mrs. F. E. Johnson, Mr. Soule, Misses Flora and Emily Hatton.

Among others who assisted were Messrs. E. W. Dennett, John Smith, Ernest Caton and Walter Atwood.

Two officers were detailed by the police department to keep order and their services were valuable in keeping a passageway clear in the street for those who wished to enter the grounds.

It is feared by the friends of Mrs. Moore that it will be necessary for her to receive hospital treatment. She has long been in poor health, and the terrible shock of the disaster has, of course, added to her suffering.

BROKEN WRIST

ACCIDENT TO JOHN POULIN THIS MORNING.

John Poulin, a stone mason residing at 129 Aiken street, while at work in the rear of the Lincoln school this morning was struck by a falling stone on the wrist, breaking the bone. He was removed in the ambulance to the Emergency hospital.

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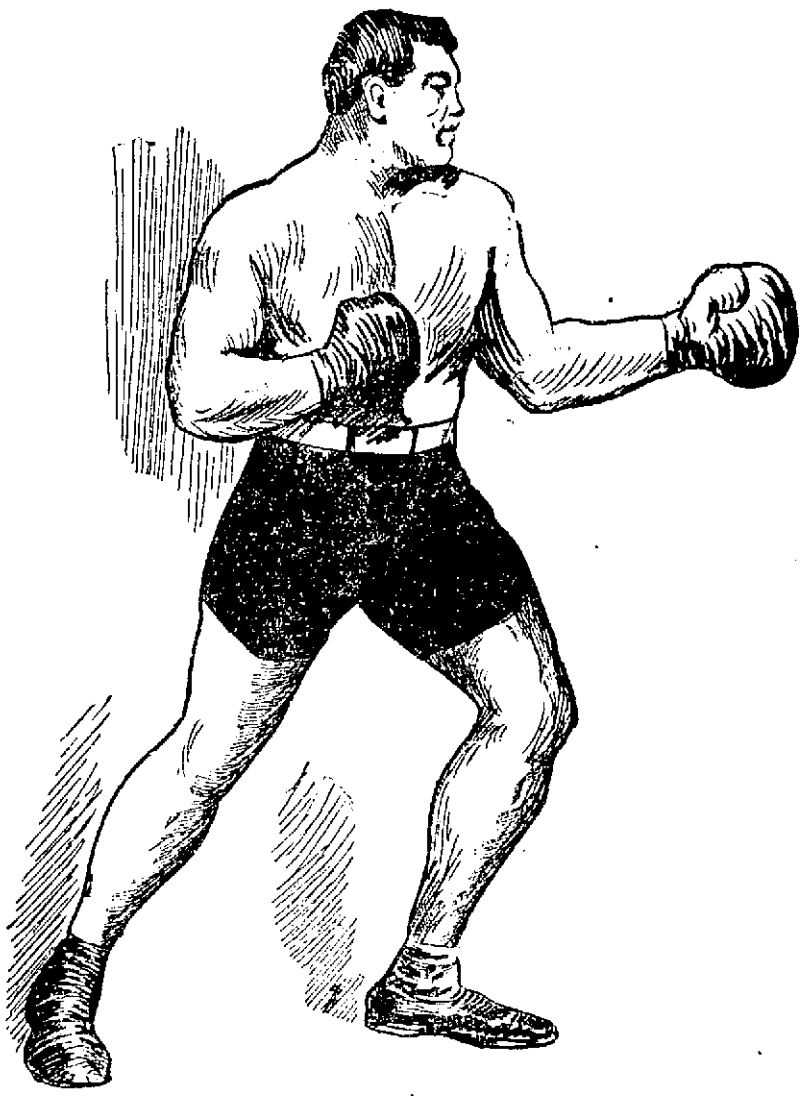

JAMES J. JEFFRIES, CHAMPION OF THE WORLD, WHO BATTLES WITH JAMES J. CORBETT AT SAN FRANCISCO, TONIGHT.

Corbett and Jeffries are in Fine Condition

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—At no time in the city has there been more interest in a pugilist encounter than is now manifested regarding tonight's contest, between James J. Jeffries and James J. Corbett. Betting, however, has been comparatively light at the prevailing odds of 2 to 1 in the champion's favor.

The attendance promises to exceed twelve thousand and so rapidly have the tickets been sold, notwithstanding the big prices asked, that additional seats have been placed in the pavilion. When the time is called tonight there is not likely to be an unoccupied seat in view of the ring. Jeffries is at the Reliance club. He never looked more fit in his life. He slept until 10 yesterday morning and then disposed of a hearty breakfast.

"It's just a little work to keep limbered up for the big event," said Trainer Delany. "Jeffries will neither spar nor indulge in road work. He is as fast as he can be, his wind is perfect, his condition is the finest it was ever in his life, and if Corbett whips him he will be the wonder of the age. Jeffries himself figures that he will defeat Corbett in about ten rounds. In his opinion, the mill may go fifteen, but not more than that."

Jeffries is heavier than he has ever been at the close of training for any of his engagements and to the men who handle him this condition seems to be most pleasing.

When seen yesterday at his training quarters in Aladea, Corbett said:

"I would be willing to lose one of my arms if I can defeat Jeffries." He added:

"I know that Jeffries is a big rough fellow, but nothing can discourage me. If the betting were 100 to 1 in favor of Jeffries, it would make no difference. I have been doing everything that mortal man could do for the last fifteen months to get into condition for the fight and now that I have about finished my work, I am satisfied. I am fit to make the fight of my life tonight and if I don't win I never could or never can win against the man. Win or lose, I will say the same thing after the fight that I say now—I like the job I am about to go up against and will do my best to come out the victor."

CORBETT PEOPLE

LOOKING FOR ODDS OF 10 TO 4.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Public interest now centers on the fight tonight between James J. Corbett and James J. Jeffries. While both men have a large following, very little money is being placed. Jeffries still rules at 2 to 1 favorite and Corbett people expect to see the odds go 10 to 4. Both men will enter the ring in fine condition and both confident of victory.

Speaking of his chances, Jeffries said today that he does not feel that his championship is in danger, although he is not disposed to hold Corbett cheaply. "I am well pleased with my condition," he said. "I am not going to make a forecast as to how long the fight will last. It will not last any longer than I can help."

Corbett said: "I am feeling in perfect condition and am gratified to learn that Jeffries is thoroughly satisfied with himself. I am confident of my ability to regain the championship."

These expressions by the men themselves about voice the sentiments of those who have trained the big fighters. Corbett will be seconded in the ring by Tommy Ryan, Prof. Dare, Hank Kenny, Tom Corbett and Sam Bergen. The fighters will divide seventy per cent. of the gross receipts of which 75 per cent will go to the victor and 25 per cent. to the loser.

CHAMPION JAMES J. JEFFRIES.

Born at Carroll, O., 1873; profession, boilermaker, height, 6 feet 1½ inches; will fight close to 235 pounds.

1896—July 2, knocked out Dan Long	2 rds.
1897—April 9, knocked out T. Van Buskirk	2 rds.
1897—May 18, knocked out Henry Baker	2 rds.
1897—July 16, draw with Gus Ruhlin	20 rds.
1897—Nov. 29, draw with Joe Choynski	20 rds.
1898—Feb. 25, bested Joe Goddard	4 rds.
*1898—March 22, knocked out Peter Jackson	3 rds.
1898—April 22, beat Mexican Pete Everett	3 rds.
1898—May 6, decision over Tom Sharkey	20 rds.
**1898—Aug. 5, decision over Bob Armstrong	10 rds.
1899—June 9, knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons, world's championship	11 rds.
***1899—Nov. 3, decision over Tom Sharkey, world's championship	25 rds.
1900—April 6, knocked out Jack Finnigan	1 rd.
1900—May 1, knocked out Jim Corbett, world's championship	23 rds.
1901—Sept. 17, decision over Hank Griffin	4 rds.
1901—Sept. 24, knocked out Joe Kennedy	2 rds.
1901—Nov. 15, knocked out Gus Ruhlin for world's championship	5 rds.
1902—July 25, knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons for world's championship	3 rds.
1903—Lost decision to Jack Munroe	4 rds.

*Jackson a physical wreck.

**Jeffries undertook to stop Bob Armstrong and Steve O'Donnell, each in 10 rounds. Armstrong went the 10 rounds but the decision was given to Jeffries and he then refused to go on with Steve O'Donnell.

***This was a wrong and very bad decision and was alleged to have been a job. The very worst Sharkey should have had was a draw.

EX-CHAMPION JAMES J. CORBETT.

Born at San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 1, 1866; profession, bank clerk; height, 6 feet 1 inch; will fight close to 188 pounds.

1887—Draw with Jack Burke, the Irish lad	8 rds.
1887—Draw with Frank Glover	3 rds.
1889—Won from Joe Choynski	4 rds.
*1889—Knocked out Joe Choynski	27 rds.
1889—Draw with Dave Campbell	10 rds.
1890—Beat Jake Kilrain	6 rds.
1890—Beat Dominick McCaffrey	4 rds.
1891—Beat Jack Kinney	4 rds.
**1891—Draw with Peter Jackson	61 rds.
1892—Beat Bull Spillings	1 rd.
1892—Beat Bob Caffrey	1 rd.
1892—Sept. 7, knocked out John L. Sullivan for world's championship	21 rds.
1894—Jan. 25, knocked out Charley Mitchell for world's championship	3 rds.
1894—Sept. 7, knocked out Peter Courtney	6 rds.
1895—June, draw, Tom Sharkey	4 rds.
1897—March 17, lost to Bob Fitzsimmons for world's championship	14 rds.
***1898—Lost on foul, Tom Sharkey	9 rds.
****1900—June, knocked out by Jim Jeffries for world's championship	23 rds.
1900—Aug. 30, knocked out Kid McCoy	5 rds.

*This was fight to a finish.

**Corbett, who was but a novice, had better of bout, and to save money wagered and in club's interest the referee declared it no fight. They afterwards gave half the purse, divided between the men.

***This was a job, Corbett being made believe he would win, and was not in condition. In ninth round, when it looked bad for Corbett, his second, McVey, climbed in ring and the contestant was given the verdict. To save the innocent public Referee Honest John Kelly declared all bets off.

****Corbett had all the better of the contest until the knockout came.

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COLONEL RICE

Retired From Army With Higher Honors

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 14.—Col. Edmund Rice, 19th infantry, was yesterday appointed brigadier-general in the army and placed on the retired list.

Edmund Rice was born in Cambridge Dec. 2, 1842. He spent two years at Norwich university, Northfield, Vt., and then took up the study of navigation and engineering and made a voyage around the world. He returned to Massachusetts at the outbreak of the civil war and enlisted at the age of 19. He was captain in the first 14th Massachusetts volunteers from April 27, 1861, until it was disbanded in June and for a few days was captain in the 20th Massachusetts. July 25, 1861, he joined the 19th Massachusetts volunteers as captain and rose to colonel. He was wounded twice at the battle of Gettysburg and presented with a medal of honor by congress for leading the advance of his regiment and the 42nd New York in the charge made to close the gap in the Union line and repel Pickett's assault. In this engagement the 19th Massachusetts captured four stands of colors and lost over half its men.

After the war he was commissioned first lieutenant in the regular army. In 1868 he was detailed on duty at the Springfield armory, making models of the Rice trowel bayonets. In 1875 he was in command of the military prison at Fort Leavenworth. Later he fought the Sioux on the Yellowstone river, Mont. He was commandant at the World's Columbian Exposition and organized and commanded the Columbian guard. In 1896 he went to Tokio as military attache.

On the breaking out of the Spanish war he applied to be relieved and joined the headquarters of the army in Porto Rico. He succeeded Colonel Charles F. Woodward of Wakefield as colonel of the 6th Massachusetts infantry. On July 5, 1899, he was appointed colonel of the 26th regiment of infantry, which was recruited largely from New England, at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y. The regiment also had many Massachusetts officers, among them being Maj. Thomas Talbot, then captain and now chairman of the Republican state committee; Fred McDonald of Charlestown and Quartermaster Wonson of Gloucester. The regiment marched through Boston on its way to the Philippines Sept. 6, 1899. Since his return he has served at various military posts in this country.

Col. Rice has invented several equipment devices which have been adopted by the government and his wife was recently allowed $100,000 by the court of claims for the use the government has made of a patent tent he designed and made over to her.

HIS HEALTH POOR

Governor Asked to Pardon Logue

Mr. John B. Cover called at the police station yesterday and asked to know what was being done in an attempt to pardon Thomas F. Logue, one of the two men who, for murderous assault upon him were, in 1899, sentenced to life imprisonment.

A petition has been circulated asking the governor to pardon Logue owing to the latter's poor health.

It is understood that Mr. Cover is opposed to Logue's pardon except the latter is at the point of death. Mr. Cover believes him to be a thoroughly bad man and dangerous to be at large, unless physically disabled.

QUICKLY SETTLED

TROUBLE AT HARNEY BROS. FACTORY ENDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 14.—The trouble at Harney Bros.' shoe factory was settled yesterday afternoon.

The firm has met the demand of the men and women that several employes who were hired during the long strike be discharged, and as this was the only cause for the leaving of the other 300 employes all will return.

Miss Ethel Hanson leaves Saturday for Hampton-beach, where she will remain the remainedr of the season.

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300 Pairs Little Gents' Spring Heel Shoes, sizes 8 to 13½ at **49c,** worth $1.00.
300 Pairs Men's Satin Calf Bals at **95c,** worth $1.50.

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THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

DROPPED DEAD

Woman Was Kneeling in Prayer

SHE FELL DEAD ON THE FLOOR

Deceased a Well Known Centralville Resident

Ellen Cotter, a well known and highly respected resident of Centralville, dropped dead this morning at her home, 4 Viles avenue. Heart failure was the cause of death.

Miss Cotter arose from bed this morning about six o'clock and when partially dressed knelt down to say her prayers. She had not been on her knees more than a couple of seconds when she fell over on the floor dead.

The noise of the woman's fall attracted the attention of other people in the house, and rushing to the room they found Miss Cotter on the floor. It was thought that she was weak and had fainted away. Attempts were made to restore her to consciousness, but before long it was ascertained that her heart had stopped beating and she was dead.

Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons were notified, as was Medical Examiner Irish. The deceased had been a resident of Centralville for a number of years and was a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church.

The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from her home.

OFFICIAL WARNING

TO PRINCE WHO CRITICISED HIGH PROVINCIAL OFFICIALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 14.—Prince Mestchersky, who recently criticised the high provincial officials in his newspaper, the Grazhdanin, has received an official warning from the censor.

FATALLY INJURED

JOSEPH KELLY, A GARDNER, IS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Aug. 14.—Joseph Kelly of Clinton, Mass., 40 years old, a gardner employed here, died today at the General hospital of injuries sustained in a fall last night from a second story balcony.

He leaves a sister residing in Clinton.

GOT A NEW CREW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The threatened tie-up of the steamer Eastland as the result of the arrest for mutiny of six of her firemen did not become effective today, the marine firemen's oilers and watertenders' union refusing to sanction the mutiny. A new crew was secured to take the places of the men who are held at South Haven, to answer to the government authorities for their offense.

MINISTRY RESIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SANTIAGO, De Chile, Aug. 14.—Owing to the political crisis the ministry has resigned. Important political changes are expected.

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CAREY WENT OUT

He Could'nt Stand Wolcott's Punches

FINE BOUTS AT TAMMANY CLUB

George Gardner Makes a Little Speech

It isn't often that a punch in the kidneys puts a boxer out, yet it was a vicious short-arm blow of that sort which laid big Tom Carey of New York low at the Tammany Athletic club in Boston, last night, while another victory goes on the long list beside the name of Joe Walcott, Boston's wonderful colored puzzle. The kidney punch was preceded by a couple of hard ones on the jaw, but the blow made popular by George Gardner whose awkwardness in making it in days gone by caused so much amusement for the spectators, did the business for Mr. Carey. It was somewhat unusual to see a man knocked out by a "punch in the back," but he went out nevertheless after making a first rate showing for eight rounds.

There were 2500 members including some 50 from Lowell at last night's meeting of the Tammany, and like all other meetings of this popular club the bouts were fine throughout and well worth the trip. The Walcott-Carey bout was not only interesting and at times exciting but was decidedly amusing on account of the personality of Carey. If Carey was as well fixed mentally as he is physically he could lick a whole ringful of Walcotts. But some one must have told him to keep his eye on the picture-machine for he "rubbered" at every corner of the building and bowed to each of the 2500 individuals present, and only looked at Walcott when a stiff punch in the ribs or on the jaw called his attention to the inglorious part of his job. If any one whispered: "Good boy, Tom," loud enough to be heard, Carey appeared to want to stop the bout until he had duly thanked the member for his encouragement.

But when he was working he kept Walcott busy and in the second and fourth rounds he had the better of the argument. In fact in the fourth he had Walcott somewhat wobbly but he either forgot or didn't know how to follow up his advantage.

After sparring a short time in the eighth round, Carey got in a couple of left punches on the head. Wolcott laid back for an opportunity to get in close. By fooling the New Yorker with a feint Joe closed in and landed two lefts on the jaw that rattled Carey. He quickly followed with a right on the other side and as the New Yorker tried to clinch the colored wonder slammed a right swing into the kidneys and the band played "Home, Sweet Home."

In the preliminaries Jimmy Hanlon of the North End won from Kid Pautz in six rounds and Young Donahue of Roxbury defeated Young Gilman from the same district in eight rounds. Dan Donnelly, the village blacksmith, refereed and his decisions were impartial and accurate. The Tammany club gymnasium is the most comfortable place in Boston to witness a performance of this kind. The bouts were over in time to enable the Lowell party to make the theatre train.

During the evening George Gardner who was present was called into the ring and introduced to the members by Referee Donnelly as the coming champion of the world. The crowd cheered lustily and demanded a speech. George was inclined to be shy but he said: "Gentlemen, as the light heavy weight champions I am ready and willing to defend the title against all comers. As a guarantee of good faith with Robert Fitzsimmons I have posted $1000 of my own money to bind a match with him. If he will cover that deposit he will find me easy to do business with afterward." Gardner was cheered again as he resumed his seat.

FOUND HIS DIAMOND

FRANK MURRAY HAD A LUCKY STONE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 14.—Frank Murray, a well-known Lynn man, had a lucky stone given him the other day, which he accepted simply to please the giver. "Try it," said the man, and yesterday Mr. Murphy confessed that he was going to hang on to the gift as a result of yesterday's great good luck in recovering a $400 diamond, which he lost at Nahant.

The Lynn Elks had an outing at Nahant yesterday afternoon, and baseball was one of the sports indulged in. Mr. Murray took part in the game, and roamed all over the peninsula, with his brother Elks, as well. When it came time to catch the boat for home, he discovered that his $400 diamond had fallen out of its setting and was lost.

He realized that he had covered so much ground and had been at Nahant so many hours that there was hardly a chance in a thousand even of his finding it. His brother Elks sympathized with him and offered to help, but Mr. Murray hardly thought it would be the slightest use.

There was just 15 minutes before the boat sailed, however, and Tim Bannon and P. H. Keefe, who were with Mr. Murray, said they would try it, any way. They only had time to go back as far as the Relay House lawn, and on searching the lawn, there, trodden into the grass and gleaming through its coating of dirt and dust, lay the diamond, which had undoubtedly been walked over by hundreds of unobserving people.

IMPERIAL TROOPS

Are Now in Control of Krushevo

FOUR THOUSAND BESIEGED THE PLACE

$80,000 for Widow of Murdered Consul

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 14.—The Imperial troops have occupied Krushevo, 23 miles north of Monastir, which was recently seized by the insurgents. A force of four thousand troops besieged the place and bombarded it with artillery.

The fighting with the revolutionists is still proceeding outside the town.

Consular advices from Monastir and Salonica, endorse the belief that any overt movement in those towns on the part of the revolutionary committee will lead to the massacre of the Bulgarian inhabitants by the Mussulmans.

The panic continues at Monastir, where the shops are closed.

A settlement of the indemnity for the murder of M. Rostkovski, the Russian consul, at Monastir, is imminent. The government's offer of $80,000 to the widow, appears to be satisfactory to Russia. The Russian government continues to insist on the execution of the murderer.

Dispatches received by the Porte give particulars of a number of encounters with the insurgents. The latter attacked the village of Gumenje, throwing bombs into it, but official dispatches say the insurgents were repulsed. The foreign representatives have demanded of the Porte, protection for the consuls and foreign residents at Monastir. The grand vizier has promised effective measures of protection. The Mussulmans in the disturbed area are persisting in having arms and ammunition to protect themselves against the Christians. This is considered a dangerous factor in the situation.

OARSMEN READY

Greer is a Favorite Over Titus

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 14.—Beautiful weather for which scores of oarsmen and thousands of others who hoped to witness the contest of the 31st annual championship regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen on Lake Quinsigamond, had wished, prevailed today and gave every promise that most favorable conditions would attend the trial races this afternoon.

All arrangements were complete yesterday and last night's illumination which was intended to mark the formal opening of the regatta, found nothing unfinished in connection with the plans of the managers.

The race schedules called for the events to start at 3 o'clock both in the trials today and the final tomorrow. The program provides for 18 heats or races and the entry list includes oarsmen and crews from all parts of the country. The managers say that never before has there been such a representative list of entries for a national event. Many new clubs are participating for the first time. Betting is heavy. The race that is causing the most excitement is the championship senior single event, in which Titus, the champion, meets Frank R. Greer of East Boston. Odds are prevailing, 10 to 7 in favor of the latter.

The management stated this morning there would be a gathering of 30,000 on the shores of the lake to witness today's trials.

Today's program follows:

Race No. 1, first heat, intermediate single, start 2 p. m. Race No. 2, international four-oared shell, start 2.20 p. m. Race No. 3, second heat, intermediate single, start 2.40 p. m. Race No. 4, third heat, intermediate single, start 4 p. m. Race No. 5, first heat, association single, start 4.20 p. m. Race No. 6, second heat, association single, start 4.40 p. m. Race No. 7, intermediate doubles, start 5 p. m. Race No. 8, senior four-oared shell, start 5.20 p. m. Race No. 9, intermediate eights, start 5.40 p. m.

Events 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7 are for pairs with turn. Events 3, 8 and 9 are for fallies straightaway.

MONEY AND CIGARS

WERE STOLEN BY POST OFFICE THIEVES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Aug. 14.—Burglars early this morning visited Slatersville, in North Smithfield, entered the post office, R. F. Benard's grocery store and William Miller's market, blowing open the safe in the latter place, but altogether secured but $5 in money and a quantity of cigars and eatables. The burglars were seen by villagers and watched during the entire stay in the village, but the witnesses were afraid to give an alarm. The burglars deliberately sat on the store steps in bright moonlight and ate their lunch in sight of the affrighted citizens and after the safe-blowing job left the place afoot.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Cotton—Futures opened firm, Aug. 12.40 to 12.50, Sept 10.82, Oct. 10.02, Nov. 9.95, Dec. 9.75, Jan. 9.78, Feb. —, March 9.75.

JUDGE CROSSCUP

Wants Government to Supervise Monopolies

THE ONLY HOPE FOR THE AMERICAN NATION

Securities Manipulated for Promoters

By Associated Press to The Sun

DIXON, Ill., Aug. 14—Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States circuit court, in an address here before the Lutheran assembly, expressed his belief that in the supervision of monopolies by the government lies the only hope for the perpetuation of the American nation, and sounded a warning against a manipulation of securities in the interests of unscrupulous promoters and speculators.

In the fact that within the last 10 days the deposits in savings banks have increased from two billion to 10 billion, a sinister rather than a sanguine meaning was traced, the judge declaring that under normal conditions the vast amount would have been invested by the laboring classes but that it was lying idle because "polite swindlers and high-up rascals" were able to subvert the laws and give to stocks a value that they do not really possess.

"We can never go back to the days of our boyhood," said the speaker, "but we can go back to the days when the man with $10 did not have to hoard it or intrust it to his neighbor for safe-keeping, but could put it into investments, sure that it would return with earnings.

"What should be done? Change the laws so that no set of men can organize a corporation except on a strict legal basis. Then put it under such supervision as the national banks are subject to and I believe that, little by little, this immense hoarding in the savings banks of 10 billion dollars will be trickling into ownership again.

"I say nothing against the man who makes his fortune honestly," said Judge Grosscup, "but when I see the laws of my country introduced to enable men to consolidate money for the public good, turned into the excuse for swindles that should land the promoters in the penitentiary and see that become the almost universal history of corporations, every drop of my blood boils with hate and revenge."

CONSTABLE McMANUS

FIGURES IN AN EPISODE IN SPRINGFIELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 14—Kostas Stawopolas, a Greek who keeps a fruit stand near the Elm street bridge, is under arrest for the larceny of about 75 bunches of bananas.

An attachment was placed on the property by Sheriff Leyden of Springfield in the interests of Clarkins Stanopolis, a fruit dealer located in the Greek colony on Market street, this city, and Richard McCarthy and James Sullivan were appointed keepers.

About 9 o'clock Tuesday night the Greek went to the basement where the property was and by breaking in a window and later opening the door removed the bananas. He was warned by citizens and by Patrolmen Broadhent and Sullivan, but he persevered till he had removed all the property.

He sang and whistled while carrying away the bananas under protest of the police, who did not choose to interfere in a civil suit by arresting him.

Constable John McManus was the man who worked the affair up to the point where the keepers appeared on the scene, and when he heard what they allowed Kostas to do he threw up his hands in contempt.

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MORNING BLAZE

Hildreth Street House Nearly Destroyed

BUILDING WAS AN OLD LANDMARK

Fire Had Gained Considerable Headway

THE HORSE AND CARRIAGES TAKEN OUT IN SAFETY

Some Delay in Sounding Alarm

A fire broke out in the residence of Orange H. Stafford, 321 Hildreth street, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning and before the fire department had it under control a good portion of the ell of the building had been burned.

The main portion of the house is built of stone, but a wooden ell connects the stone house with the barn. The fire started in a room on the second floor of the ell and it is not known how long it had been burning when it was discovered by one of the neighbors. When discovered are fire was making its way through the roof.

An alarm from box 67 was pulled in and when the department arrived the fire was burning at a furious rate. As the fire started near the barn the firemen were afraid it would communicate with the hay and destroy that building, but owing to the peculiar construction of the house the blaze worked its way through the top of the wooden ell and the firemen had the hardest time in keeping it from getting into the interior of the stone house.

After considerable difficulty the fire was extinguished, and the principal damage was to the ell, the room in which the fire started being completely gutted while a good portion of the roof was destroyed. The main damage to the interior of the stone house was from smoke and water. The damage will be about $800.

In the room where the fire started were stored blankets, winter clothing and other things, and it is thought that matches were left in the room and that mice or rats got gnawing them and started the fire.

Mr. Stafford sleeps in a room near the ell of the house and when he was aroused and found the house afire his first act was to notify the other occupants of the house. After the inmates had been aroused he went into the yard and securing a garden hose attempted to battle with the flames, but they had got too much of a headway and he soon abandoned this plan.

He then went to box 67, but when he arrived at the fire alarm box he found that there were no keys, the keys having been placed in different houses near the box as boys had rung in false alarms and removed the keys from the box on several occasions. After awhile a police officer came along and pulled in the alarm.

The fire department did good work after arriving on the scene, and while it was thought that the barn was doomed it escaped with a scorching. A horse and several carriages were removed to a place of safety.

The Stafford house is an old landmark having, been built many years ago. Despite the fact that it is old it was well constructed and is much stronger at the present time than many modern structures.

TOBACCO CULTURE

ATTEMPTED IN LOWELL BY MR. COUTURE.

Almost everything that can be raised from the ground has been tried in this city, but it is doubtful if any one ever attempted the cultivating of the tobacco plant until Alexis Couture started this rather novel business in this part of the country on the J. C. Ayer lot at the corner of Mt. Washington and Bowers street.

Mr. Couture is using 253 feet of the lot for a tobacco patch and 800 fine tobacco plants. They have grown to a height of about 2½ feet, while a few have gone a foot higher.

Extraordinary care must be used in the cultivating of these plants, and daily Mr. Couture has to answer lots of questions put to him by curiosity seekers, whose attention is attracted by the peculiar plants. He expects that the tobacco will be ready in December.

BACK TO WORK

ITALIAN LABORERS WHO MADE TROUBLE QUIETED DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 14.—The 375 Italian laborers who drove Foreman Edmands to a conning tower at the General Electric company's river works yesterday, returned to work quietly today and the police force sent to the grounds to prevent an outbreak was not needed. Edmands did not appear on the works. The Galbraith Construction company foremen have been warned to use discretion in handling the men. The General Electric company's river works' fire department has its hose ready to attach to the boilers of the power plant in case another demonstration is made. The Italians will hold a meeting tomorrow.

The two Georges at the Bunting Grounds Saturday.

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BODY OF A BOY

Found on Bank of the River

Superintendent of Police Moffatt of this city today received word from the chief of police at Andover that the body of a boy had been found on the bank of the Merrimack river at that place this morning. It was stated that the boy had on a pair of overalls, but any further description than that had not been given him. The Andover police official notified Supt. Moffatt that he would communicate with him any other details as soon as he learned them.

In all probability the body found is that of little Johnny Lyman of 175 Charles street, who lost his life in the Prescott canal Monday afternoon and whose body was washed into the Merrimack river.

PERSONALS

William Taylor and family have gone to Hampton beach.

Prof. F. W. Griffin of Malden is visiting relatives in Dracut.

Dr. F. G. Gelliland has returned from his vacation.

Mrs. Lydia Shepard of Dracut has gone to Malden on a visit to her brother, Y. S. Griffin.

Mr. John A. Keyes is home on a two weeks' visit from Garden City, N. Y.

Miss Helen O'Sullivan of Mt. Washington street is at Old Orchard, Me., for a stay of two weeks.

Miss Blythe Wedge and Miss Sadie Shrigley are spending their vacation with friends at Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Griffin and daughter, Mrs. Grace E. Harrington, have gone to Rockport and Bay View for two weeks.

Dr. Omer P. Porter has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness as to attend to his professional duties.

Miss Sarah Kelley of Cross street, daughter of Truant Commissioner Kelley, is spending her vacation at Old Orchard.

Misses Mabel and Blanche Sullivan of Lawrence street are spending a two weks' vacation at Newburyport and Salisbury beach.

Mr. William Rourke of Lang's pharmacy, has returned from Fitchburg, where he had been spending an enjoyable two weeks' vacation.

Misses Margaret McCarron, of Lawrence street, and Clara and Lillian Poff, of Whipple street have returned from vacations spent at Lynn beach.

Mrs. William Swallow and William Swallow, Jr., of Moore street, and John Lyman, of Cady street, leave tomorrow for a two weeks' vacation to be spent in Hamilton, Ont.

Among the guests registered at the Metropolitan hotel, Revere beach, are Misses Mary and Katie Corcoran. Later they will join friends at Peak's Island, Me.

Miss Bernice M. Moulton, the well known pianist, leaves today for a month's sojourn to the Islands of Casco Bay, and other points of interest along the Maine coast.

Mrs. Charles Foley and Charles D. Foley Jr., have returned after 10 days at Juniper Point and Salem Willows.

Miss Margaret Shanley of Otis street is visiting relatives in Norwich, Conn.

The following delegates will attend the convention of the C of F which will be held in Philadelphia Tuesday September 1st: Nellie Hyde, Rosa Ward, and Clara McPhail of Spindle City circle; Mary Gookin of Star of Lowell circle and Nellie Brofby of Golden Harvest circle.

Miss Clara Daisy Wardman of Hampshire street is passing the month of August at Greenfield, N. H., as the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barrett. Later she will go to Windsor, Vt., to spend the rest of her school vacation with her aunt.

Miss Lizzie Wright and Miss Georgie Clifford are spending two weeks at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. R. J. Lang and little Miss Marguerite Lang have returned from Fitchburg, where they had been for the last few weeks the guests of Mrs. Lang's brother, Mr. John J. Rourke, and Mrs. Rourke.

Miss Margaret Allen of Hurd street, accompanied by the Misses Alice and Theresa Delaney, and Miss Margaret O'Neil will enjoy the waves at Crescent beach the next ten days.

Officer John Hickson has announced that he will spend his vacation at Hogan's beach. He has been looking over the cottages there and found one with 26 rooms that he says will suit him all right, with the exception that the studding is a little low.

BILL APPROVED

For Purchase of Boisvert Lot

A meeting of the committee on accounts, Alderman Gallagher, Councilmen Welch and Worcester, was held this morning at city hall at 10 o'clock. Several bills were approved, among them being the one for $11,000 for the new school house land in Centralville, owned by Jacques Boisvert and John H. Beaulieu.

The mayor's letter, which has been published in this paper, in which he scored the committee for summoning him to be present at their meeting, was read and ordered to be placed on file.

The committee then adjourned without taking an action on the salute bill.

Miss Sarah Cromey of Elm street and Miss Mary Deckery of Fairmount street are stopping at the Metropolitan hotel, Revere beach.

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14 BIG MILLS

Will be Idle in Fall River

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 14.—Present reports are that 14 corporations operating 540,000 spindles, will be idle throughout next week, while the operations of 450,000 more spindles will be curtailed partly. This shutdown is in continuance of the plan adopted some weeks ago in view of the high price of cotton and small demand for cloth.

SAFE BLOWN OPEN

BURGLARS GOT AWAY WITH PAPERS, STAMPS AND MONEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAMPTON, N. H., Aug. 14.—When the door of the post office here was opened today it was found that during the night burglars had ransacked the place and taken away almost everything of value. The safe had been blown open and the door of it was lying some distance away. The burglars had taken $25 in bills and small change, a large amount in postage stamps and some very valuable government papers.

The burglars left their tools as if they had been disturbed in their work.

CRUISER CHICAGO

HAS ARRIVED HOME FROM LISBON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The United States Cruiser Chicago, second of the warships participating in the international festivities at Kiel, Portsmouth and Lisbon to arrive in a home port, is now anchored in the bay.

The Chicago had made 2,950 miles from Lisbon, where she cleared Aug. 1, in twelve days and two hours. This was done while running under only five of her ten boilers and the ship arrived in port in condition to start out again at a moment's notice for five days more, for she had used only 560 tons of coal on the voyage out of her capacity of 850 tons. The trip across was made on the "great circle" route, and while four days of thick fog interfered somewhat with the time record the Chicago had generally calm weather, with a single day of heavy sea.

Captain Cornwell told something of the personal side of the meeting at Kiel with Emperor William, at London with King Edward and Queen Alexandra and at Lisbon with King Carlos and Queen Elemic, of Portugal.

PROFESSOR McGEE

RESIGNS HIS POSITION AT SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The Post this morning says that Prof. W. J. McGee, ethnologist, in charge of the Bureau of American Ethnology of the Smithsonian Institution, has resigned his position in the bureau and his given up all connection with the Smithsonian.

The reason given by Prof. McGee for leaving the institution is that his position as ethnologist of the St. Louis exposition will require all his time and attention for more than a year. The Post says, however, that differences have arisen between Prof. McGee and Prof. W. H. Holmes, chief of the bureau, regarding their respective functions and authority. Prof. McGee has been connected with the bureau of ethnology since 1892.

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50c Golden Tips Assam	38c, 4 lbs $1.00
40c Orange Pekoe	25c, 6 lbs $1.00
40c English Breakfast	20c, 7 lbs. $1.00

BODY IDENTIFIED

That of Missing Arcanum Official

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Simon Kuhn, and William H. McGuire, members of the Royal Arcanum of Alleghany City, Pa., called at the morgue today and identified the body of the man found in the Hudson river Wednesday morning as that of Adolph J. Gerl, the missing treasurer of the Royal Arcanum lodge in Alleghany City. Gerl's body was found in the river with a knotted handkerchief tightly bound about the neck. There were two deep abrasions over the eyes and a wound at the back of the head which at first was thought to be a bullet hole.

CAMERA FIENDS

WILL BE BARRED FROM BIG STEAMSHIPS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—At the request of representatives of the steamship lines in the International Mercantile Marine company it is said as a result of the recent experience of J. P. Morgan upon his return from Europe, the custom of giving passes to board incoming ships with cameras has been discontinued by the customs officials.

Collector Stanahan's secretary, Mr. Stewart, said in explanation:

"A man who came to us from the White Star line said that the officers of that line and of many other lines had received many complaints from passengers who had their pictures taken for publication against their will and that they wished the discontinuance of the issuing of camera passes for this reason. We have no interest in the matter at all."

FOUR DAYS A WEEK

PAWTUCKET MILLS DECIDE TO CURTAIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Aug. 14.—The high price of cotton is said to be responsible for the curtailment policy which had been decided upon by the Dexter Yarn company, the E. Jencks Manufacturing company and the Littlefield Manufacturing company, all of this city. The Broadway mill of the first named concern, employing 200 hands, will be run on a schedule of four days a week and the Jencks manufacting company, with 800 hands, will be run five days weekly hereafter. The Littlefield Manufacturing company, employing 125 hands, has been closed the entire week and no announcement has been made as to whether it will re-open on Monday next.

MOB LAW AND LYNCHING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 14.—The disenssion of mob law and lynchings was continued here today by Chief Justice Lore of Delaware. His subject was "The Relation of Law to the Manifestation of the Mob Spirit."

The address of the chief justice was followed by the annual exhibition of the Chautauqua school of physical education.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14. Noon.—Money on call easy at 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper 5 3-4 a 6 per cent.

Exchanges $187,237,401.
Balances $9,524,256.

STORM WARNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The local weather bureau is in receipt of the following from Washington:

Observer, New York.

11.30 a. m.—Tropical storm apparently center of gulf near north coast of Yucatan. Further course uncertain owing to absence of reports from the region. Dangerous for vessels to leave gulf ports but not considered dangerous during the next 24 hours; also east Florida and south Atlantic and Cuban coast.

(Signed) GARRIOTT.

ALASKAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The state department has been informed by Ambassador Choate that the first meeting of the Alaskan boundary commission, will be held September 3 in the British foreign office.

VON GOSLER RELIEVED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—Lieut.-General Von Gosler has been relieved of the post of war minister at his own request.

Lieut-General Von Einmit, the director of war, has been designated his successor.

SENATOR LODGE IN PARIS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Senator Lodge and Senator Turner have arrived here. Senator Lodge proceeded to Heidelburg. He will return later to meet Secretary Root preparatory to the opening of the Alaskan boundary tribunal in London, September 3.

BROKER SUSPENDS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The suspension of H. A. Peterson, a member of the Consolidated stock exchange, was announced today.

Mrs. P. W. Brown and daughter, Miss Mary F. Brown of Pawtucket street, started today for Malone, N. Y., to remain until October and return by way of Rome, N. Y.

MATINEE GIRL

Was Rebuked by an Actor

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The limit of the matinee idol appears to have been reached by Ida Davis, who yesterday caused the arrest of Richard Buhler, leading man of the Thirty-first street theatre stock company.

Mr. Buhler is a noted beauty, and in gory melodrama he has all the South Side girls at his feet. Alas, however, he is married. Because he pushed Ida Davis into a seat and told her to "back up" she had him arrested for assault.

Jack Prescott, an employe of the Thirty-first street theatre, declared he had seen the girl climb a fire escape to Buhler's dressing room.

"She climbed up 40 feet," said Prescott, "and jumped into the window to Buhler's room. It was at the time we were doing the 'Lady of Lyons' and Buhler was Claude Melnotte. Every night he left the theatre there were 15 or 20 women waiting at the stage door, smiling and bowing at him."

The actor said:

"I never saw Miss Davis but three times. She did climb the fire escape and enter my dressing room. She said she wanted to kiss me and get my autograph. The last time I saw her I sent for her, because I was becoming extremely annoyed by reports of her actions that had reached me—remarks she made to the effect that my wife was jealous of her. I saw her in the hallway leading out of the dressing room.

"I asked her if she was the young woman who had circulated those absurd and annoying stories about myself and wife. She admitted her identity and I administered a just rebuke to her. I said: 'You deserve a good spanking, and if I was not too busy just now I'd give it to you'."

Mr. Buhler was discharged.

YOOKERS ALIVE

Was in Contact With Trolley Wire

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—A broken trolley wire carrying voltage that would have been death to the average man, held Edward Yookers, a switchman at the Broadway, Brooklyn ferries, rigid in his tracks for five minutes and he is still alive. Five hundred persons saw Yookers' narrow escape.

Yookers was standing under the trolley wire when it snapped and curled about his body. When he was released an ambulance surgeon examined him and said Yookers would probably recover.

FUNERALS

KALLERY—The funeral of Harry R. Kallery, child of Joseph and Annie, took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of his parents, 13 Burns street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Joseph Merlin Monahan took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents in North Billerica. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

DICKSON—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah C. Dickson, who died in Nelson, N. H., last Monday, took place from the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday. Rev. Mr. Jenkins of St. Anne's church officiated. Undertaker Ela had charge of the arrangements.

SNAY—The funeral of the late Joseph Snay took place yesterday from his home in Chelmsford, services sung at St. Jean Baptiste's church. Rev. Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Messrs. Stanislas Gravel, Joseph Girouard, John Lessard, Moise Gaudette, Prosper Gaudette and Jean B. Gaudette, all of Nashua, and all relatives of the deceased.

Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., read the committal services at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge of the funeral arrangements.

WARD—The funeral of Helen Elizabeth Ward was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents in North Chelmsford and burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Savage.

DEATHS

PERRY—Rose T. Perry, aged two months and two days, child of Charles and Mary, died this morning at the home of his parents, 33 Sawtelle place, off School street.

HAMILTON—Joseph M. Hamilton, aged 55 years, died Wednesday of eczema, at his residence, 107 Cedar street, Manchester, N. H. He is survived by one son, James J. Hamilton, salesman for F. M. Bill & Co., of this city, who has the sympathy of his friends. Mr. Hamilton was a bricklayer by trade and was formerly in the grocery business. He was a member of the cathedral and of the A. O. H., Div. 1, at Manchester.

STACKPOLE—Mrs. Huldah C. Stackpole, aged 81 years, 1 month and 28 days, died at her home in Billerica, last evening. She leaves one son, S. W. Stackpole of Billerica, and three daughters, Mrs. Otis Remick of Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Mrs. Benjamin Hutchins and Mrs. Benjamin Thayer of Billerica.

OCCUPATION DAY CELEBRATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Aug. 14.—Veterans of the army of the Philippines celebrated occupation day with a parade in which 800 men took part, clad in the old regulation service clothing of blue shirts and khaki. A banquet was afterwards served at which campaign stories were told and battles fought over again. Commissioner Smith was the chief speechmaker of the evening.

Miss Margaret Allen, the accomplished young musician of Hurd street, accompanied by the Misses Alice and Teresa Delaney and Miss Margaret O'Neil, will enjoy the next 10 days at Crescent beach.

YACHT ON FIRE

The Waiontha is a Complete Wreck

By Associated Press to The Sun

MIDDLETOWN, Ct., Aug. 14.—The steam yacht Waiontha, of Hartford, caught fire today while going down the Connecticut river and now lies a blackened wreck on Sears Shoal, six or seven miles below this city. Her crew escaped in a small boat after running the burning yacht aground. It is understood here that the fire caught in the engine room and spread so quickly that it was impossible to save the boat.

The Waiontha was bound from Hartford for Greenport, Long Island. She was 103 feet long and 15 feet wide and was built in 1880 for the late E. S. Stokes of New York. She was then called the Fra Diavola. Of late she has been owned by Hartford parties. It is supposed that she was on her way to Greenport for repairs when she took fire.

DEATH SENTENCE

For Murderer of Russian Consul

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 14.—A court martial held at Monastir yesterday condemned the Gendarme Hali to death for the murder of M. Rotskovski, the Russian consul at Monastir. The sentence was immediately carried out.

Another gendarme was sentenced to 15 years penal servitude.

BOARDING HOUSEKEEPERS

INTEND TO GET AFTER THE "BEATS."

The boarding-house keepers of this city have a movement on foot whereby they will organize for mutual protection. Every now and then boarders desert their boarding houses owing several weeks and sometimes a month's board bill, and it is hard for the boarding-house keepers to ever collect this money.

Several of the proprietors of boarding houses started the movement and others readily joined and a meeting will be held at a later date when plans will be perfected.

WARRANTS ISSUED

THREE YOUNG GEORGIANS WERE SHANGHAIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—A dispatch from Atlanta, Ga., says:

The state department has ordered the United States district attorney to institute steps against the persons suspected of having shanghaied Joseph Terrel Rucker, nephew of Georgia governor, and two other young men from this point on the British bark Kambria. Warrants were issued for the arrest of the captain of the bark and her shipping master. Others said to be implicated are being sought by the United States authorities.

The bark left this port one month ago for Santos and will make the trip in fifty days without touching other ports. The British authorities have been notified and other arrests will probably follow. The other boys said to have been taken on the bark are William Coppage of Rome, Ga., and John Seage, of Savannah, Ga. All three of the young men are minors. Their relatives are among the most prominent people in the state.

GENERAL MILES

BEING ENTERTAINED AT FORT DOUGLAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Aug. 14—Gen. Nelson A. Miles, accompanied by a party of seven, arrived here this morning. He was met at the Rio Grande depot by a delegation of officers from Fort Douglas and driven direct to the post, where he is being entertained today. Gen. Miles repeated his declaration that he is not a candidate for commander-in-chief of the G. A. R.

THE NORTH STAR

RAN INTO STRONG WESTERLY GALES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14—The steam yacht North Star, Capt. Timpson, arrived this morning from Southampton, Eng., after a run of 11½ days. The yacht had strong westerly gales with head seas the first four days. On Thursday, Aug. 6, a cyclonic gale was met, but the yacht sustained no damage. Cornelius Vanderbilt, the owner, and Mr. Delano, a guest, are the only passengers on board. The North Star will go to the Morse iron works for an overhauling before the yacht races.

VESSELS WARNED

NORTHEAST WINDS ARE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 14.—The weather bureau has issued the following:

Advisory warning to all west gulf ports 9.40 a. m. Tropical disturbance apparently central in west gulf, future course uncertain. Increasing northeast winds on coast considered dangerous for vessels to leave gulf ports."

(Signed) CLINE.

LIEUT. MARVEL MARRIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug 14.—Lieutenant Frank Marvell, U. S. N., at present assigned to bureau duty in Washington, was married quietly this noon to Mabel Redwood Yardley at the home of the bride's mother on Rhode Island avenue. The bride is the daughter of the late Rev. Henry Yardley.

Miss Mamie Winn of Cedar street has just returned from New York and Bar Harbor.

SPECIAL NOTICES

ARE YOU COLLECTING STAMPS?—We have both kinds, blue and green, and give them away in quantities with Tea, Coffee and Baking Powder. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED as to the whereabouts of John, James, Joseph, Thomas and William Duffy, sons of Mary Duffy, formerly of Fall River. Address Eliza Daley, care The Sun office.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 348 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, Room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leihas, Room 9, Barristers' hall.

PACIFIC SQUADRON

MAY TRY TO RUN THE FORTS AT COLUMBIA RIVER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 14.—Instructions have been received by the commandants of Forts Canby, Stevens and Columbia, located at the mouth of the Columbia river, to keep a sharp lookout for the appearance of the North Pacific squadron under command of Rear Admiral Casey, on his flagship New York, which is thought to be manoeuvring off the mouth of the river with the intention of running the forts there if possible.

HIRAM SCOGGAN ILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 14.—Hiram J. Scoggan, the well-known turfman, is seriously ill at his home on the Bardstown road. His illness dates from an attack of grippe last spring. Now complications have developed and fears that he may not recover are entertained.

G. A. R. DELEGATES

FIND SAN FRANCISCO IN GALA ATTIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14—Delegates to the G. A. R. encampment continue to arrive and the city is now in gala attire. The committees in charge of the parade and all the other committees have left nothing undone to insure the proper entertainment of the guests. The cities of the interior are joining in the good work, and car loads of fruit and flowers will be coming into San Francisco daily next week for distribution among the veterans and their friends.

Conservative estimates figure that 15,000 persons will arrive in San Francisco from the eastern points on special trains and fully as many more on regular trains, while the arrivals from nearby points in California will run the aggregate up to fully 35,000 visitors who will take part in the proceedings of the encampment next week.

NEGROES LEAVING

ALTHOUGH THEY WERE PROMISED PROTECTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WHITESBORO, Texas, Aug. 14.—Although promised protection by the officers of Whitesboro and this county, negroes are continuing to leave the city in large numbers, and it seems but a question of a short time when Whitesboro will be without a colored resident.

The mob which failed in an effort to lynch a negro Wednesday night warned the negroes to leave and committed many depredations in the colored section. Several negroes were severely flogged, their houses entered and furniture destroyed.

OFFICER ALEXANDER

HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM BEING KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRUNSWICK, Me., Aug. 14.—Officer Alexander narrowly escaped death early today at the hands of two burglars whom he had discovered in a Main street store. While chasing them six shots were fired at the officer, who emptied his five shooter. One shot struck the peak of the officer's helmet and others were so close that he heard them pass. The places entered were the grocery stores of B. R. Jordan & Sons and H. E. Emmons. At the former store $6 in money, eight revolvers and a quantity of cartridges were taken.

HELP IS SCARCE

FARMERS LOSING MUCH OF THE HARVEST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOOSICK FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 14.—A large farmer near here says that farmers are losing much of their harvest, owing to their inability to get sufficient help. The only men who can be secured are "floaters,"—that is, men out of work and stranded, who hire out as farm hands, and after earning enough to take them to the next city, decamp.

The farmers are in despair. Several talk of selling their cattle to help them solve the difficulty.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Simpson Wednesday when their daughter, Miss Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Carl Floyd of this city. The best man was Willis Simpson, brother of the bride. The bride was attired in white pearl Swiss muslin and carried sweet peas. The bridesmaid wore a similar gown. The officiating clergyman was Rev. W. H. Yarrow.

After the ceremony the happy couple left for Boston and other parts unknown. They were accompanied by the bridesmaid and the best man. After a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd will be at home to friends after Sept. 1 at 1 Nelson avenue, this city.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A dish washer at Evans' lunch rooms, 11 Bridge street.

MEN to tack signs, distribute circulars, etc.; good pay; work sent everywhere; no canvassing. Continental Distributing Service, Chicago.

WANTED—Girls for addressing envelopes. Apply at once to Room 34, Hunels building.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 110 Powell street.

WANTED—Energetic, intelligent woman to canvass boarding houses and restaurants of Lowell for food article. Apply at Brown's grocery, 69 Gorham street, Friday morning, 10 to 11.

WANTED—Ladies and gents; we pay $12 per 1000, cash, copying at home, everything furnished; send stamp. Monarch Supply Co., Box 3, Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Young men to learn to lasting shoes. Apply Stover & Bean's, Hood building.

WANTED—Man to take care of horses, who understands driving. Apply at F. E. Putnam's restaurant, Sun building.

WANTED—A meat and vegetable cook at once. Apply 1 Merrimack corp.

WANTED—A saleslady. Apply at once. Watson's bakery, 60 Charles street.

WANTED—First-class fitter on ladies' garments. Address Fitter, Sun office.

ONE OF THE LARGEST CORPORATIONS in Massachusetts has an opening for two good hustling men. Address "Hox," Sun office.

FIVE INSURANCE AGENTS wanted immediately; only first-class men; any nationality; salary and commission, according to ability; call and investigate our plans. Provident Savings Life Assurance Society, 15 Merrimack square.

WANTED—A woman to do light housework and to care for two children. Call 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—Good chamber girl, kitchen girl and table girl at 53 Lee street.

WANTED
SIX CARPENTERS
—AT—
PICKERING & CONNELL'S
29 Middle Street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Lady's gold watch, Sunday. Owner's name on inside case. Finder rewarded at 256 Market street.

LOST—On 6.20 train from Boston, lady's red silk umbrella. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Gold brooch pin of dull gold. Return to Davis square drug store and receive reward.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A black and tan rabbit hound; owner's name and license number on collar; was last seen tied in yard on Hampshire street. Liberate or inform J. Southworth, 104 Vermont avenue. Detect, and avoid further trouble.

LOST—A pocketbook containing a large sum of money and three railroad tickets on Broadway car. Finder rewarded at A. O. Knapp's paper store, 23 Branch street.

LOST—Lady's storm coat between Willder street, Lowell, over town of Andover and city of Lawrence. Return to 43 Central street. Liberal reward.

LOST—Wedding ring in vicinity of Gorham and Moore streets. Return to 30 Moore street. Mrs. Haughton.

LOST—Saturday evening on Coral street, a purse containing sum of money and H. G. S. class pin. Reward if returned to F. M. Perkins, 135 Branch St.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A store and two tenements at 42 and 44 Summer street, with 5300 square feet of land; also a three-tenement block in the rear; all in good repair; rents for $50 per month. For information apply to Mrs Cross on the premises.

FOR SALE—Best lot of land, Branch street, for house or business; price $1250. G. P. Walker, 964 Middlesex street.

IF YOU WANT to sell your real estate communicate with me quickly; I have customers; best forms fire, life and endowment insurance written. M. J. Sharkey, Swan building, 26 Central street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—A situation by respectable middle-aged woman at light housework, or would take care of one or two children. Apply at Sun office.

WIDOW LADY, 32, capable, neat and trustworthy, wishes employment with respectable well-to-do people. Address 286 Worthen street, corner Broadway.

SITUATION WANTED by a young lady who was living with her mother in Riverside park and who lost their home in the recent dynamite explosion; she is anxious to work to help build another home for the family of six, who lost everything except the clothing they wore at the time; she would like a situation as a clerk or saleslady; she is an experienced typewriter operator. Address M., care Sun office.

PROTESTANT WOMAN would like situation as housekeeper; no children preferred. Address 55 Bass street.

WANTED—Situation as stationary fireman; first-class license; six years' experience; good reference; can go to work at once. Address T. C., Sun.

TO LET

TO LET—Three newly furnished rooms next to Casino, Revere Beach. Mrs. H. A. Specht, 235 Ocean avenue.

TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, rent reasonable. Apply 4 Everett street.

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, modern improvements, on Lawson street. Inquire at 61 Queen street.

TO LET—Good furnished rooms. 392 Bridge street.

TO LET—House in Nesmith street of 13 rooms, hot and cold water, bath and furnace heat; in good repair. Apply 468 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, Prince street; tenement of 5 rooms, Moody street; tenement of 5 rooms, Central street; rent low. Apply 468 Central street.

TO LET—Three newly finished and newly furnished rooms; good rooms for man and wife or for nurses. 276 Westford street.

TO LET—Two good tenements on Fayette street; also good tenement on Middlesex place. Inquire J. W. Heery, 65 Merrimack street.

TO LET—Tenement, healthy, dry and high location, six large rooms, pantry and bath room and hot and cold water; nice front piazza, nice front and rear yard, with a number of fruit trees. 147 Howard street.

TO LET—Furnished room, use of bath. 85 Middlesex street, side door. Price $1.

TO LET—Good tenement on Chelmsford street, $5, one at $12; new cottage with bath on Inland street $15. A. O. Russell, 407 Middlesex street.

TO LET—A tenement of 5 rooms, $1.50 per week. 7 Brooks street.

TO LET—A tenement of 7 rooms No. 20 Hurd street. Apply at 37 West 5th street.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR JULY

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of July, 1903, was **15,459** A gain of 1952 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Aug 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

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Can it be possible as rumored that General Wood, recently plain Dr. Wood, is to take the place of Governor Taft of the Philippines?

The relief work for the explosion sufferers goes on apace. An appeal has been sent out to papers throughout the state. It is hoped that it will bear fruit.

Tonight Jim Corbett seeks a further proof of his lost powers as a pugilist. It requires a knockout blow from the champion, Jeffries, to convince Corbett beyond peradventure that his boxing days are over.

The trail of the great explosion can be traced into the office of every lawyer in town. Once the responsibility is fixed the claims for damages will pour in mayhap with overwhelming effect upon the guilty parties.

Between the state and metropolitan police and the newspapers Revere beach has been greatly damaged as a summer resort and still the fight goes on. In this respect the beach reservation and the town are not to be confounded.

Judge Emmons has issued an order authorizing an officer to use his revolver whenever molested by anybody in the discharge of his duty. Emmons knows not nor does he seem to care to what extent this authority may be used unwarrantably to the detriment of the general public.

Alas for the West Indies! Martinique, St. Vincent and Guadaloupe have had their terrible visitations and now Jamaica has been swept by a cyclone. In the olden time it would have been said that these islands had surely incurred the direst wrath of the gods.

William S. Allen, who as treasurer of the Methodist Preachers' Aid society, embezzled $136,000, has a heavy responsibility resting upon his shoulders. No doubt many a poor struggling preacher was subjected to hardship, privation and indignity through Allen's pilfering. The money subscribed to help such men went into the maws of the stock jobbers. If Allen be caught an example should be made of him.

TIMELY PRECAUTION NECESSARY.

The Paris horror in which two trains were burned in an underground tunnel and a great many lives lost by suffocation and otherwise, may well engage the attention of every large city in the world in which subways or tunnels are used for public travel. A similar catastrophe is likely to occur in any of the tunnels unless extra precautions be exercised.

The great explosion and its terrible effect in death and disaster caused many cities to move powder magazines to a safe distance. In a similar way should the Paris horror cause the metropolitan cities to guard against such catastrophes by timely precautions.

Boston is constructing a tunnel to East Boston and she has her subways besides. If a car or a number of cars caught fire in the subway, it is doubtful if the ventilation would be sufficient to prevent the suffocation of all the passengers. It is stated that the New York tunnel is not a whit more safe than the Paris tunnel in which the disaster occurred. If this be so it is time some steps were taken by that city to provide for the public safety.

Such horrors although bringing death and suffering to the victims bear a useful lesson to the entire world and to all succeeding ages on defects of construction in the tunnel and in the mechanism by which the fire was started.

It is true that the disaster could easily have been averted had intelligent judgment been exercised but on the contrary it rested with a man who did not seem to realize the responsibility placed in his hands, to say that nothing was to be feared when he was told to stop to avert accident.

GENERAL MILES TO THE FORE.

General Miles is being talked of for head of the Grand Army and no doubt he will be selected for that honor. No other general in the United States today can show such a record of valor in such a long line of battles as can General Miles. He passed through the terrific battles of the Civil war and every war that this country has seen since with the exception of the Philippine, if that can be called a war.

In recent years his record has excited the envy of some small men such as General Alger who lost no opportunity of snubbing and belittling Miles. During the war with Cuba Alger kept Miles in the rear and pushed his favorite, the bloated General Shafter, to the front by putting him in charge of the army. All Shafter could do was to lie in his hammock four or five miles to the rear of the army, whereas had Miles been the commander he would have been with his men on the firing line and a different story would have been told of the result.

Even the simplest details of that skirmish—it did not deserve the name real war when the battles of the civil war are to be considered—were so mismanaged that the army became the laughing stock of the world. The only piece of generalship shown was that conducted by General Miles in Porto Rico. While trying to belittle Miles and to disregard his counsel, Alger so mismanaged things that hundreds of lives were lost as a result of unsanitary conditions and improper food. The responsibility for the "embalmed beef" spoken of by General Miles was laid at Alger's door and after a good deal of bantering he was driven into retirement.

The present administration has in a quiet way followed the course pursued by Alger but did not carry it to extremes. Gen. Miles was regarded as a dangerous man politically. That is why he was snubbed by Alger and subsequently by Root. He would have been removed by President Roosevelt but for the danger of his appearing as an opposition candidate for the presidency. He is now a free man disentangled from the restraint and the responsibility of official position. He is free to speak and to act according to his judgment and is in all respects a man who from his long, valiant and honorable services to his country as a soldier deserves to be honored by the people of the United States.

President Roosevelt was elected vice president on his war record. He fired a few shots at San Juan hill and among other acts of daring shot down a fleeing defenseless Spaniard. That is the extent of his triumphs as a warrior and a rough rider. Compared with Miles as a man and a patriot Roosevelt, the politician appears very small indeed.

In regard to statesmanship, of course it is outside the province of both men, but in a political contest between the two, we believe the people would be inclined to honor Miles. It is for this reason that Miles is now and has been feared by Roosevelt as he was feared by the small fry of which Alger is the most despicable type. Although retired and advanced in years Miles is still energetic enough to assert himself in politics and throw a few bombshells into the republican camp.

SEEN AND HEARD

It is very evident that people do not always say what they mean when they are excited or anything is bothering them. A local undertaker tells the following story which goes to prove the above assertion: I was called to a house one day to take care of the body of a woman who died and upon arriving at the house I encountered three women who were weeping most bitterly and several other women, presumably neighbors, who were trying to console them. One of the women in the room knowing me tapped one of the members of the family on the shoulder and said: "This is the undertaker." The woman who was a sister of the deceased came up to me and while wiping the tears with her handkerchief held out her right hand to me and said: "I am glad to see you."

Speaking of undertakers there is another story going the rounds which is perfectly true and one which undertakers encounter very often. While some people will buy habits and suits from the undertaker in which to dress the deceased, many people have a suit belonging to the deceased placed on the body. A local undertaker tells of going to a house once and after measuring the body told the woman to have the underclothing and suit ready to place on the body when he came back with the casket. He returned in about an hour and the woman seemed to be worried about something. When the undertaker asked for the clothing she brought out two suits of clothes and said to the man: "Now these are both good suits, but I believe that this brown one will wear better than the black one."

REV. EDWARD FOWLER

MADE DOMESTIC PRELATE TO THE POPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—The pope received Cardinal Satolli yesterday who inquired regarding the appointment of a new secretary of state in succession to Cardinal Rampolla and again suggested Vincenzo Vannutelli as the best fitted for the position. Cardinal Satolli then proposed the appointment of Father Edward Fowler, secretary to the Rev. J. J. Harty as a domestic prelate to the pontiff, which post carries with it the title of monsignor. The pope granted the request. Cardinal Gibbons will come to Rome Friday to assist at the consecration on Saturday of the Rev. J. J. Harty as archbishop of Manila.

PLOT DISCOVERED

MURDER OF PRESIDENT OF SANTO DOMINGO PLANNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Despatches from Santo Domingo say that a plot to murder General Alejandro Wos Y Gil, the president, has been discovered and that there have been many arrests.

President Wos Y Gil overthrew the former president, General Horatio Vasquez, at the time of the revolution last spring and proclaimed himself president, being subsequently elected. His election was proclaimed by congress July 22.

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A NEW CHAMPION

Neil Knocked Out Harry Forbes

BLOW IN STOMACH DID THE TRICK

End Came in Second Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Frank C. Neil of San Francisco won the bantam weight championship of the world last night when he landed a left swing in the pit of Harry Forbes' stomach in the second round of a scheduled twenty-round fight. Forbes by virtue of holding the championship was a two to one favorite in the betting, but Neil in spite of that fact, had many local supporters. In the first round of the fight no effective blows were landed until Forbes who appeared in splendid condition began to show himself as the heavier boxer of the two, but he could not land effectively.

When they came up for the second round Neil slashed out with his left and landed a terrific punch on Forbes' stomach. The ex-champion doubled up like a jackknife and fell over backward. He lay in the corner of the ring gasping for breath but managed to get up before ten seconds were counted. Neil went at his man like a young tiger and rained a shower of blows on the almost defenceless Forbes. Another punch in the stomach sent Forbes down again and Referee Graney counted him out. Neil evidently did not hear the end of the count for as Forbes struggled to his feet Neil landed another on the jaw and sent his man under the ropes. There was a vigorous cry of foul from the Forbes people, but as the man had already been counted out it was of no avail. Johnny Regan of St. Louis challenged the winner.

HORSE THIEF

PLACED UNDER ARREST IN SOUTHBRIDGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 14.—A special from Southbridge says:

Wilfred Amoyt, 23, of Woonsocket, R. I., charged with stealing two horses from Stephen Howland of South Woodstock, Conn., was arrested yesterday afternoon in Southbridge, and both horses and a buggy which was stolen, were recovered. Amoyt admits his guilt.

BURNED TO CRISP

LITTLE BOY HAD BEEN SMOKING CIGARETTES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 14.—John Thornton, aged 10 years, was burned to a crisp at his home in North Londonderry six miles from this city, yesterday afternoon, the feet being burned completely off. The boy had been smoking cigarettes and it is supposed that the little shanty near the house caught fire from a match which he may have thrown down. Presumably he went in to attempt to extinguish the flames when he was suffocated and perished in the flames.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

COUNCILMAN FEAS DESPONDENT FOR SOME TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Aug. 14.—Andrew Feas, 32, a member of the common council, committed suicide in the woods near his home yesterday afternoon by shooting himself four times and then stabbing himself and cutting his throat with a knife. He had been despondent for some days. A searching party found his body yesterday.

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MAYOR HOWE

WILL PLAY IN TALL HAT CRICKET GAME.

U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic Asso. will hold its annual tall hat game on the Wigginville grounds tomorrow, Aug. 15, when one of the most laughable games will be seen in a year by men who are termed "has beens" or never has beens and everbody who witnessed last year's game of the "Two Georges" knows what a good time they had.

There will be all kinds of sports including 100-yard dash for men, 100-yard dash for boys, egg and spoon races, potato race, obstacle race, races for single and married women and a fat man's race for men over 45 years, for which suitable prizes will be given.

After the games dancing will be indulged in to the music of Griffith's band, which will also give a concert during the afternoon, and the grounds will be beautifully illuminated with Japanese lanterns. A full list of the players is as follows:

George Emsley, George Kitchener, M. Dugan, Wm. Wilkinson, C. W. Needham, J. P. Walsh, J. H. Barry, J. J. O'Connell, Wm. Hardy, T. H. Boyle, Joe Marsden, John M. Dunphy, J. G. Birtwell, Tom Whitaker, Chas. McAskell, John Crawford, John Carson, Alfred Kay, James Smith, J. Murray, Fred Rourke, Bath Asquith, J. McElhoim, James Terry, Joseph Rawnsley, W. Riley, Fred Law, T. J. Moore, Wm. Fitzpatrick, George Fox.

Mayor Howe has signified his intention to be present and bowl the first over in the game.

STINSON INJURED

BICYCLE RIDER FELL FROM HIS WHEEL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 14.— After riding a mile and a quarter in the first heat of a three cornered motor paced race, Stinson had a fall as the tire of his front wheel came off. He was cut in several places but no bones were broken. Harry Caldwell was given the heat. Stinson defeated Benny Munroe in the second heat by three fourths of a lap. Time, 7:28 2-5. Caldwell easily beat Stinson in the final heat, passing him three times. Time 7:22. Marcus Hurley from scratch, won the two mile amateur handicap in 4:15 4-5; Fred Ernst (30) was second and C. L. Hollister of Springfield (30) was third. Attendance—2500.

GOVERNOR PEABODY

WILL NOT RECALL WARRANT FOR BURTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 14.—Gov. Peabody yesterday refused to recall the warrant granted by him for the extradition to Massachusetts of Francis L. Burton, a mining man, who has been convicted in the Massachusetts courts of having obtained $2500 under false pretences from the Boston and Albany railroad company. A writ of habeas corpus was secured in the district court to prevent Burton being hurried out of the state. This will have to be disposed of before he can be taken east. After sentence is passed upon him, application will be made to the governor of Massachusetts for a pardon for him.

MRS. STEVENS

NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE MAINE HIGH LICENSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, national and state president of the Women's Christian Temperance union, who recently returned from Geneva, Switzerland, where she addressed the world's convention, said she never expected to see Maine become a high license state.

She does not believe an attempt will be made at the coming special session of the legislature to bring up the question of re-submission. Advice received by the W. C. T. U. leaders denotes that the legislature will re-submit the question to the people.

She said a secret conference was held yesterday of the workers attending the New England inter-state institute at Old Orchard, where the different temperance organizations throughout the states as well as the grangers were urged to work in securing proper enforcement in Maine.

JUDGE EMMONS

WANTS AN INCREASE OF $1000 A YEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Judge Emmons, chairman of the board of police commissioners, asked for an increase in salary of $1000 a year for himself and each of his colleagues at a special legislative hearing at the state house yesterday. Judge Emmons advocated that the money received from dog licenses which now is divided among the commissioners as part of their salary should be paid into the city treasury. The hearing was before a special legislative committee appointed to consider the question of abolishing court fees.

SOME CYCLE NEWS

Of Interest to the Wheelmen

"Kramer is about the last man most people would have picked out to win a six-day race, even one with such short riding periods as that at Providence," remarked an old racing man who has followed the game since the days of the high wheel. "And yet it merely goes to show that a man never knows what he can do until he tries.

"Now, there was Arthur Zimmerman. No one would ever have picked him as a man to excel in anything but the style of racing in which he scored nearly all of his triumphs—that is, from the quarter up to five miles. But the year the 'Jersey Skeeter' carried off most of the English championships—all that he started in, if I remember correctly—he turned from winning the mile on one day to the fifty mile on the following one, and won it just as easily as he did the others. He had never undergone any special training for such a long distance, but he learned that all the best English riders tried to scoop the long as well as the short distance championships, and he made up his mind that if Osmond and the rest of them could do this he could also.

"So he extended his practice spins, putting in five or ten miles after doing some sprinting, and once he rode about twenty or twenty-five miles. But until he started in the race he had never gone anywhere near fifty miles at speed, and he was about the only one in the American camp who had faith in his lasting qualities. Bless you, though, he lasted all right, and won just about as easy as he did any of the other races."

"It was much the same way with poor Harry Elkes. I remember well when he made his first big coup. It was back in the late 90's—about '97, if memory serves, and Tom Linton was in the heyday of his glory. He and Elkes were matched to ride an hour behind pace at Philadelphia, Elkes being an eleventh hour selection, the man originally picked for the purpose having been hurt or something of the kind. Up to that time Harry had been dubbing around, riding sprint races and slowly making his way up toward the front. But he was very far from being a top notcher even in the sprints, and as for long distance plugging—well, no one had ever given him a thought in that connection.

"I think the race took place at the Willow Grove track, then only built a short time. Linton's only anxiety was to have Elkes make a respectable showing, and he prepared to take things easy so as to put some heart in the Glens Falls boy and not make it a runaway at the start. But it proved to be almost that, only the shoe was on the other foot. Elkes took the bit in his teeth almost at the pistol fire, and, getting a slight lead before Linton knew what was happening to him, he kept on and widened the gap until he had lapped the Welshman repeatedly.

"The news went all over the country, and Elkes jumped at once into the position he ever afterward retained. He was a long distance star of the first magnitude, while that night—it was a Saturday night—Linton's decline began. He was never able to do as well after that, although he tried hard and for several years was able to keep pretty near the top.

"To return to Kramer, I think that he shows that a good man can shine at any distance. It is all a matter of training and of confidence. Let a man think he can do a thing, and make some preparation for it, and the chances are that he will win out."

Take two men of equal speed. One of them will beat the other on the track, and the defeated one will turn the tables. A well known racing man who has studied this problem claims that the ankle throw causes it, and illustrates his point as follows: The track man rides with the pedals set well toward the toe, thus giving him great sprinting power and a much longer ankle throw. The road rider's pedal is fixed well toward the middle of the foot, giving him greater power, most of the work being done by the thigh. If a path man wants to hold his own he will have to move the cleats on his shoes half an inch further back, and he will be surprised at the result. To the road rider who aspires to fame on the path: Move your cleats forward or have the toeclips well back.

BEST WORLD'S RECORD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—"Major" Taylor yesterday reduced the world's bicycle record for 200 metres from 18 4-5 seconds to 18 seconds at the Velodrome Buffalo.

Kennedy's Oysterettes

The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

PUBLIC FUNERAL

NINETEEN VICTIMS OF PARIS DISASTER BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Aug. 14.—An imposing public funeral was held at the prefecture yesterday of nineteen victims of the Metropolitan railroad tunnel catastrophe, whose bodies were unclaimed. Premier Combes delivered a short address, promising measures of relief for the families of the victims, while the president of the municipality spoke of the universal sympathy displayed throughout the world. The bodies were then borne to Notre Dame cathedral, where the religious ceremony was held and afterwards interred in various cemeteries.

COMMUNICATION.

Mr. Editor:

Readers of the local newspapers will see articles about the trustees of the Edson cemetery now and then, how much they are doing in beautifying the city's cemetery and how kind it was of them to give a deed to an old lady at the old lady's home without it costing her one cent, while Tommy Dickson, the blind man, who earns an honest dollar by the selling of lead pencils, etc., had to pay $15 for his lot recently and he hasn't got his deed yet. Then you will read again that the trustees are getting very kind and generous and are going to have a soldiers' lot where all the bodies of the old soldiers of the civil war who now lie in their last rest in different parts of the burial ground are to be removed body and bones in this beautiful spot. The little town of Lawrence, down the river, has had for the last 25 years a soldiers' lot. The little city's cemetery trustees didn't wait 40 years to find a burial place for all of the friendless old soldiers like other cities of 100,000 inhabitants have done. The wrong doings of the management of the Edson cemetery can be placed by the voters on the republican party. I have had a mother buried there since 1871 and for the last five years I have been trying to reclaim my lot. The trustees say they can seize lots and remove bodies from them whenever they like. Who gave them all of this power? The state didn't. The book of acts and resolves of Mass., 1891, which can be seen in the public library by calling for it in the reference room, don't say so. What it does say a school boy of 12 years can understand. "The trustees," it says, "of which there shall be three, are to have the care, management and superintendence of all city cemeteries." It doesn't say the trustees have the right to rob the lot owners of their dead or to threaten to do so. For the last 50 years up to a few months ago it was thoroughly understood by all the older grantees that they had a bona fide claim to their lots when they took them up. Now the present trustees want to make the owners out as squatters. The act of May 16, 1891, regarding public burial grounds don't make any changes in my opinion in regard to the claims of the lot holders. What the state granted was a privilege to go outside the cemetery fence and buy land and seize it if necessary and to pay its owner a legal value but never to take lots away from the living where their dead lies buried. The bible says let the dead rest, but perhaps the trustees of the cemetery never heard of the bible.

F. A. ROLFE.

CLERK SMITH ARRESTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 14.—Edmund J. Smith, former discount clerk in the Merchants National bank of this city, who is accused of having stolen $20,000 from the bank and who disappeared about two weeks ago, has been arrested in Williamson, Va. A detective will leave at once to bring him back.

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FINE FIELDING

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Lawrence Went Down Again in a Well Played and Interesting Game—Four Sharp Double Plays Among Features

A bad fourth inning put Lawrence out of the running at Spalding park yesterday but during the rest of the game the down river boys worked continuously and hence the exhibition was interesting throughout, while four sharp double plays and a couple of sensational catches and fielding plays gave the audience ample opportunity to enthuse.

Some 1500 turned out and it was one of the most enthusiastic crowds seen in a long time. They were ready to cheer any good play and were given a chance.

Lawrence hit Hooker harder than Lowell hit Beard but Hooker kept them scattered while Lowell's were more timely. Then Lawrence made errors at the wrong time while Lowell's misplays did no damage except to fielding records.

The game in detail:

Sammy Bernard was the first up and Buck walked him. O'Hara knocked any number of fouls down the first base line and Buck fanned him. Bernard stole second. Valdois died between McLaughlin and Lake. Murch got a hand as he stepped up and Hooker got one as he struck him out.

For Lowell, Hafford couldn't fathom Beard's benders and struck out. Bigbie died to O'Hara. Merritt hit to Valdois and was out at first.

Second inning: Conroy caught a high one and made a single. Klobe sacrificed to Lake. Gene Hart lifted the ball to left center for two bases, scoring the giant. Coveney hit one to the left field fence that looked like a dead sure two bagger but Bigbie made a sensational running catch and Coveney was out. Beard hit to Connors and was third out.

For Lowell, Coveney made a great running catch of Lake's foul fly. Grant had a walk to first. Grant stole second and the pitch being wild took third. He scored on McLaughlin's single. Connors placed a single in right, sending Barney to third. Cross sent a fly over Bernard's head but Sammy caught it and nailed Connors off first.

Score, one up.

Third inning: Bernard opened with a clean single by first base. O'Hara bunted to Lake and Connors covered second. The Lawrence crowd called Sullivan "a hum" on the decision but O'Hara admitted that he was out. Valdois foul flied to Merritt and Murch flied to Bigbie. In Lowell's half, Hooker fanned out, Hafford died, Murch to Conroy. Bigbie was the next victim to fan.

Fourth inning: Conroy batted a fly into Grant's hands. Klobedanz hit over Bigbie's head but in rounding first base Kloby fell all over himself and he only got one base on the hit. Klobey was hurt and Bunyan ran for him. Hart popped a foul fly to Merritt. Coveney hit a grounder that belonged to McLaughlin but Hafford butted in with one hand and Coveney got a hit that didn't belong to him. Beard died, Hooker to Lake. For Lowell, Merritt singled and got second on a wild pitch. Valdois fumbled Lake's grounder. Grant bunted to Beard who fumbled and the bases were filled. McLaughlin's best was a foul fly to Coveney. After Coveney and Beard had had a long talk together Connors flied to Hart and Merritt scored. Cross then knocked a two-bagger that scored Lake and Grant. Hooker hit to Beard and died at first.

Score, Lowell 4; Lawrence, 1.

Fifth inning: Benard fanned out. Everyone thought O'Hara had a safe hit back of second but Billy Connors did some great sprinting and gobbled the ball. He had hardly got back when Valdois hit a line drive and Billy grabbed that.

At this point Klobedanz retired from the game and Bunyan took his place in right field. Hafford flied to Conroy. Bigbie died, Valdois to Conroy. Merritt got four bad ones. He started to steal second just as Lake hit to Murch for three out.

Sixth inning: Murch died on a grounder to McLaughlin. Conroy singled to center. Bunyan hit to McLaughlin and a double play resulted.

For Lowell, Grant got first on a bad throw by Murch and he promptly stole second. He scored on McLaughlin's little single to left by great running, while Barney got to second on the throw home. Connors in trying to sacrifice bunted into Beard's hands and McLaughlin was doubled at second. Cross fanned.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 1.

Seventh inning: Hart got a single to left and Bigbie's fumble gave him second. Coveney went out, Connors to Lake. Beard went out the same way but Hart scored. Bernard put a fly over first base and Connors got it. In Lowell's half Hooker went out, Valdois to Conroy. Hafford drew a base on balls. Bigbie got a crack in the arm. Merritt flied to Bernard. Lake finished the inning, Bernard to Conroy.

Score: Lowell 5, Lawrence 2.

Eighth inning: O'Hara died. Connors to Lake. Valdois went to second on a bad throw by Hafford. Murch got first on an excusable error by Bigbie. But Conroy hit to McLaughlin and Barney made a pretty double play. For Lowell, Grant went out, Murch to Conroy, and so did McLaughlin. Connors flied to Valdois.

Ninth inning: Bunyan flied to Cross. Hart fanned out. Coveney got a scratch hit. Beard made a two bagger that scored Coveney, but Bernard died, Connors to Lake.

The score:

LOWELL

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Hafford 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bigbie lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
Merritt c	3	1	1	1	6	0	0
Lake 1b	4	1	0	0	11	1	0
Grant m	2	3	0	0	1	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	2	2	2	4	0
Connors 2b	4	0	1	1	4	5	0
Cross rf	3	0	1	2	1	0	0
Hooker p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	5	5	6	27	11	3

LAWRENCE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Bernard 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	0
O'Hara lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Valdois ss	4	0	0	0	2	3	1
Murch 3b	4	0	0	0	0	4	1
Conroy 1b	4	1	2	2	11	0	0
Klobedanz rf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Bunyan rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hart m	4	1	2	3	1	0	0
Coveney c	4	1	2	2	6	0	0
Beard p	4	0	1	2	1	2	1
Totals	31	3	9	11	24	11	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	*	5
Lawrence	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3

Summary: Earned runs, Lawrence 2. Two base hits, Cross, Hart, Beard. Stolen bases, Grant 2, Merritt, Lake, Bernard. Sacrifice hits, Grant, O'Hara, Klobedanz. Double plays, McLaughlin and Lake 2, Bernard and Conroy, Beard and Valdois. Bases on balls, off Hooker, off Beard 3. Struck out, by Hooker 4, by Beard 4. Wild pitch, Beard 2. Passed ball, Merritt. Hit by pitched ball, Bigbie. Time of game, 1.45. Umpire, Sullivan. Attendance, 1500.

FALL RIVER WON BOTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Aug. 14.—Fall River took both games of a double-header from Manchester yesterday afternoon, scoring a shut out in the second game. The champions could do nothing with Gilroy in the first game, while Fall River batted Morrissey out of the box. The latter's support was not of the best, however.

In the second game Courneen was very effective, keeping hits well scattered, while Whiting was found easily by the local batsmen. Sensational fielding features were contributed by Bowden, O'Hara and Ball.

Scores by innings:

(First Game.)

Fall River .....0 0 0 4 0 2 0 0 x—6
Manchester .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

Torned runs—Fall River. Two base hits—O'Hara, Warren, Leith. Three base hit—Kane. Stolen bases—O'Hara, Rapp. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Morrissey 2, off Gilroy 2. Struck out—By Gilroy 2, by Morrissey 1, by Leith 4. Wild pitch—Morrissey. Time—1.37. Umpire—Jordan.

(Second Game).

Fall River .....0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 x—4

Earned run—Fall River. Two base hits—Bowden, Moorehead, Ball, Clark. Three base hit—Iott. Stolen bases—Bowcock, Lawrence. Double plays—Bowcock, Moorehead and Weddige; Knau, Clark and Kane. First base on balls—Off Whiting 1, off Courneen 3. Hit by pitched balls—Warren, Courneen. Struck out—By Whiting 4. Time—1.41. Umpire—Jordan. Attendance—2100.

CONCORD 6, NEW BEDFORD 0.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 14.—The home team could not hit McCarthy yesterday, and not a run was scored by Doe's players. Foxen was not pitching his best and hits, bases on balls and errors all contributed to an easy victory for the visitors. Four hits, each in a different inning, were all that the local players made, for McCarthy pitched effectively and he had good support. The home team had two men on bases in the last inning with none out but it was impossible to make a single run.

Score by innings:

Concord ..... 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 2 x—6

Earned runs—Concord 1. Two base hits—Noblitt, Eustace, Eaton. Stolen bases—Kane, Eustace, Mullaney. First base on balls—By Foxen 3, by McCarthy 1. First base on errors—Concord 2, New Bedford 3. Hit by pitched ball—Kane, Noblitt. Passed balls—Burrill, Eaton. Wild pitch—McCarthy. Struck out—By McCarthy 5, by Foxen 5. Time—1.20. Umpire—Webster. Attendance—650.

NASHUA 8, HAVERHILL 5.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 14.—Nashua and Haverhill were to have played a double header yesterday afternoon, but as the first game lasted 15 innings the second was postponed until today. It was Haverhill's game up to the ninth, when through a two base hit by McLean and a single by Daum the score was tied.

Both teams scored in the 14th and in the last five innings it was much of a question of endurance on the part of the pitchers. Daum scored the winning run through an error by Richardson. Sheets made a pretty running catch in the 15th inning.

Score by innings:

Nashua
0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1—8
Haverhill
0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—5

Earned runs—Nashua 3, Haverhill 1. Two base hits—McLean, Daum, Richardson. Three base hit—McLean. Stolen bases—Jordan, Ashenbach 2, Calhoun. First base on balls—Off Gokey 2. Hit by pitched balls—Wilson, Gokey. Struck out—By Gokey 8, by Deininger 5. Time—2.55. Umpire—Kerins. Attendance—600.

OTHER GAMES.

AMERICAN:

At Detroit—(First game) Boston 3, Detroit 1. (Second game) Detroit 10, Boston 1.

At Cleveland—(First game) Cleveland 5, New York 2. (Second game) Cleveland 8, New York 2.

At Washington — Washington-St. Louis game postponed, rain.

At Chicago—Philadelphia 5, Chicago 1.

NATIONAL:

At Boston—Chicago 7, Boston 3.

At Brooklyn—Pittsburg 12, Brooklyn 6.

At New York—(First game) New York 6, St. Louis 2. (Second game) New York 9, St. Louis 7.

EASTERN:

At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Providence 4.

At Toronto—Toronto 7, Montreal 1.

At Jersey City—Jersey City 13, Rochester 4.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	51	32	.614
Lowell	52	35	.598
Concord	46	36	.561
Nashua	47	37	.560
Fall River	42	42	.500
New Bedford	40	42	.488
Lawrence	35	43	.456
Haverhill	22	60	.268

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	64	32	.667
New York	59	37	.615
Chicago	60	41	.594
Cincinnati	51	45	.532
Brooklyn	44	50	.468
Boston	39	52	.429
St. Louis	35	65	.352
Philadelphia	31	61	.338

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	61	35	.635
Philadelphia	55	41	.573
Cleveland	52	45	.536
New York	47	43	.522
Detroit	47	45	.511
St. Louis	42	49	.462
Chicago	42	52	.442
Washington	29	61	.312

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Lawrence.
Manchester at Fall River.
Concord at New Bedford.
Nashua at Haverhill.

Bushey and Long will be the pitchers at Glen Forest today. If Long isn't right Klobedanz will officiate.

We're right after Manchester and the champs have four more games to play than we have. We'll get that pennant yet.

The York Beach team defeated the Dover Reds by a score of 2 to 0 yesterday. On the York team were Herb, Jr., and O. Webster, Grover Fels, Walter Muzzey and Hutch Parker, all of Lowell, and Herb. Webster, Sr. umpired.

Manager Lake made a bid for Spalding park in the recent sale but when he saw that Mr. Cawley was going after it to get it he stopped at $2200.

Manager Lake is trying to get the Chicago Nationals and the Boston Americans here before the season closes.

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BRIDGE STREETERS WON

DEFEATED LAKEVIEW AVENUES AT LAWN PARTY.

At St. Mary's lawn party, Collinsville, yesterday, the Bridge street merchants defeated the Lakeview avenue business men by a score of 6 to 2 in a six-inning game. The score was as follows:

BRIDGE STREET.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
J. Foye c	4	0	2	13	2	0
McCarthy p	2	1	0	0	14	0
Kelly 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
O'Brien 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Keith ss	3	2	3	2	1	0
Hubin 3b	3	1	2	0	0	1
R. McKenzie rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hurd m	3	0	0	0	0	0
Landry lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	27	6	8	18	18	2

LAKEVIEW AVENUE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
McGuane c	4	1	0	9	0	0
McKenzie p	3	0	1	0	8	0
Noonan 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
McNeil lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Burns 2b	2	0	0	4	1	0
McGrath ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
McKenna m	2	0	0	0	1	0
W. Foye 3b	2	1	2	1	0	1
Blinkhorn rf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	21	2	23	18	10	2

Two base hits, Kelly, Foye, Keith. Home runs, Keith, R. McKenzie. Base on balls, McCarthy, McGrath. Struck out, McKenzie 8, McCarthy 13. Umpire, Lyons.

The Independents defeated the Atlantics by the score of 8 to 7 last week and the latter team was not satisfied that we, the Independents, were their superiors, so another game was agreed to be played, with the understanding that each team would patch in for a quarter ball and the winner to take ball. The game had not progressed very far when Charley Curran, manager of the Atlantics saw that his hot air team was in for a good drubbing and he at once stole the ball and ran home with it. He is a tin can sport and he can keep the ball if he wants to, for we have won more base balls than we will be able to use this season. We would like to arrange games with teams under 12 years of age. Send challenges to Fred Callahan, 85 Agawam street.

The Sunnysides and Groves will meet tomorrow and a hot game may be looked for. Nelson will do the twirling for the Groves and Donohoe for the Sunnysides.

WON CANADA CUP

AMERICAN BOAT TOOK THE DECIDING RACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 14—The Irondequoit, the American challenger for the Canada's cup yesterday won the deciding race of the series, thus wresting the trophy from across the water. It will now rest in the Rochester Yacht club until some Canadian boat shall bring it back.

Yesterday's race was a triangular one, seven miles to a leg.

Hanhan on the Irondequoit had the better of Jarvis on the Strathcona in jockeying for the start and the American yacht went flying across the line with a small lead, which she increased steadily to the first mark.

The Strathcona gained 30 seconds on her rival on the second leg.

The credit for the victory is accorded by all to Arthur Hanhan of New York, the Corinthian sailor who was called here to take charge after the professional skipper, Captain Barr, had lost the first two races.

Mr. Hanhan won three races, wresting the cup from Canada.

The summaries:

	Start	First Buoy	Second Buoy	Finish
Irondequoit	11:15:30	12:37.50	1:42:27	2:40:55
Strathcona	11:15:35	12:49:29	1:43:29	2:42:15

Starting gun 11:15.

IN TWO EVENTS

THE FAVORITES WON AT ROCHESTER RACES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 14—The races at the closing day of the Rochester fair meeting at Cold Springs park yesterday were well contested. Favorites won in two of the events. In the 2.35 class, pacing, Deerfoot, owned by E. P. Fox of Franklin, N. H., dropped dead after finishing fourth in the last heat. The horse fell against the fence about 100 feet on the finishing side of the wire.

Summaries:

Free for all; purse $300.

Princess Moquette, bm (Page)	4	1	1	1
Louise G., bm (Merrill)	1	2	4	2
Dumont W., bg (Earnest)	3	4	2	3
John T., ch g (Bowser)	2	3	3	4

Time, 2.12¼, 2.12½, 2.12¾, 2.11.

2.13 class, trotting; purse $300.

Ralph Wilkes, bg (Riley)	1	1	1
Gene D., bm (Johnson)	2	2	2
Alkalone, bs (Davis)	3	3	3

Time, 2.15¾, 2.16¼, 2.20½.

2.35 pacing; purse $300.

Wilkes Brino, gg (Palmer)	1	1	1
Deerfoot, bg (Fox)	2	2	4
Ephrata, bg (Merrill)	3	4	2
Lady Dufferain, gm (George)	4	3	3
Alphonso, bg (Granger)	5	5	5

Time, 2.20, 2.22, 2.24¼.

COUNCILMAN KEARNS

HAS NOT BEEN UNSEATED AS YET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROCKTON, Aug. 14.—The proposed movement to unseat Councilman Andrew J. Kearns, socialist, of ward 5, failed at the meeting of the common council last evening. President George A. Monk refused to allow an order declaring the seat of Mr. Kearns vacant to come before the body. He read it and declared it not eligible for consideration by the body.

Councilman A. H. Butman, who presented the order, appealed from the decision, but the ruling of the chair was sustained. In speaking to the question Councilman Butman said it was his purpose to have the order referred to the committee of elections and returns, it to investigate and report.

The assessors have refused to assess Mr. Kearns this year, declaring his legal residence to be in Natick, and his legal standing in the council is thereby in question.

BASE BALL SPALDING PARK
LEAGUE GAME.
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ETHEL KIMBALL

Is Now Located in Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Aug. 14.—Mrs. John P. H. Kimball, mother of Miss Ethel Kimball, the stenographer, whose disappearance simultaneously with that of her employer, Edwin F. Lang, caused a sensation a month ago, said yesterday that she had received a letter from her missing daughter.

According to her statement the letter was dated in a Mexican city and says that the writer sailed from New York to Havana and had visited other southern ports before reaching Mexico, and that the trip would consume about three months, ending at Cincinnati, where she would make her home.

She signed herself Mrs. E. F. Lalley, and said she had not heard from Haverhill since she left.

Mrs. Kimball says she does not know who E. F. Lalley is.

She has said her daughter was engaged to a New York man, and at first suggested that the disappearance might be for the purpose of meeting this man, but she is convinced that he and Lalley are not identical.

Another mystery in the case has been the presence of a New York private detective in Haverhill for the past few days making inquiries about the case, but declining to reveal the name of his employer or the motive of his investigation.

Mrs. Lang, the deserted wife of the manufacturer, has heard nothing from her husband since his departure and has taken no steps to have him followed.

BRIDGE UNSAFE

OLD CHAIN STRUCTURE AT AMESBURY WEAKENING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWBURYPORT, Aug. 14.—E. P. Shaw, Jr., superintendent of the Citizens' electric railway company, yesterday had his attention called to the weakness of the approach and roadway of the chain bridge, which crosses the Merrimac river, between Newburyport and Deer island on the main line to Amesbury. A report of the state engineer was also enclosed.

Wednesday afternoon Mr. Shaw with Mayor Carens visited the bridge and although it appeared perfectly safe, it was decided to have an examination by an engineer. Today Engineer Rogers of the Citizens' line came here and after an examination advised the company to stop running cars over the bridge.

He said that the approach must be entirely rebuilt and that when a car runs over the bridge there is nothing between the stringers to support the car except the rails and that the stringers are not near enough for safety. One cross-piece is badly split and a car was likely to go into the river.

An effort was made to reach the county commissioners and consult with them, but without avail.

Yesterday noon cars were stopped from crossing. This side of the chain bridge was rebuilt three years ago and has been regarded as perfectly safe.

HIS WIFE GONE

HIS MONEY ALSO IS MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Aug. 14.—Mrs. Antonetta Cappola, aged 35 years, wife of Saverco Cappola of this city, has eloped. It is believed, with her star boarder, Angelo Giaquinto, aged 20 years, taking with her about $1000 in money and valuables belonging to her husband and friends.

Giaquinto has been in the country a short time, and was given a home and job by Cappola. Yesterday Cappola returned home to find his $300 and watch and other valuables gone, as well as his wife and the newly arrived Italian.

Louis Tercita formerly boarded with the Cappolas, and he gave into Mrs. Cappola's keeping all his money, $450. This also has disappeared. It is thought the couple have gone to St. Louis.

FAMILY FEUD

LED UP TO KILLING OF JOHN HANCOCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 14—Jim McCoy yesterday shot and killed John Hancock, five miles south of Ozark, the result of a family feud of years' standing. McCoy, who is a son of the late Capt. John McCoy, a noted antebellum politician of Missouri, was arrested.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14—A libel for a divorce has been filed by Ellen Walsh against John W. Walsh in the Suffolk county superior court, and the court has ordered an attachment of the property of the libellee in the sum of $20,000.0

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Lowell, Friday, August 14, 1903.

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August is the month when stocks must be reduced to make room for the fall goods soon to come. This month we sacrifice price and prejudice; summer merchandise shall go. In many cases you'll do well to make purchases for the early summer of next year; some things will be good for you during the next three months.

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Men's Shoes Only $1.49
Good, serviceable Shoes, in box calf, viel kid and patent leather, congress or oxfords. Were $2.00 and $2.50 a pair.

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Made from satin calf and kid skin, also some patent leathers well made, congress or oxfords. Were $1.25 and $1.50 a pair.

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Boys' Canvas Oxfords 17c
Black Canvas Oxfords, with pressed leather soles, sizes 2 to 5 1-2. Were 39c a pair.

Boys' Bicycle Shoes 69c
Tan, Russia grain and tan goat skins, sizes 2 to 5 1-2. Were $1.25 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 98c
Made from patent leather, kid skin and Russia calf, light or heavy sole, several styles. Were $1.25 to $2.00 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 75c
Red Canvas, with rubber soles and heels. Were $1.50 a pair.

Ladies' Oxfords Only 59c
Patent leather and colt skin, with welt sole, sizes 1 to 3, A and B widths. Regular price $2.50 a pair.

Children's Oxfords Only 49c
Some misses, also in dongola, with patent tips or plain. Were 75c a pair.

Misses' Oxfords Only 17c
Kid skin, with patent leather tips, sizes 12 to 2. Were 49c a pair.

Infants' Shoes Only 12½c
Black, tan, red and chocolate, soft soles, kid shoes, neatly made and finished. Were 25c a pair.

UNDER-PRICE SHOE STORE, PALMER ST. BASEMENT

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About 15 dozen Negligee Shirts, made from madras, in neat figures and stripes, full size with separate cuffs. These are our regular 50c shirts, which we have reduced to..... 35c each, or 3 shirts for $1.00

Our dollar shirts are all reduced to only 69c each. They are made from fine percale, madras, matapolan—have double felled seams, pocket neck band, etc., with detachable cuffs. All dollar grade, ...ONLY 69c EACH

Our Jersey ribbed and fancy Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, always before 25c, have been reduced to.....ONLY 17c EACH

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A case full of fine Cotton Hose, lisle finish, fast black, double heel and toe ..... 10c a pair, 3 pair for 25c

EAST SECTION. LEFT AISLE.

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White skirts made from fine lawn, umbrella ruffle with duster of tucks; five yards full. Especially adapted for walking skirts.... ONLY 98c EACH

Umbrella skirts made from fine cambric, with five rows of insertion and lace edge..... ONLY 98c EACH

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All our Silk Belts, including peau de soie, taffeta and black satin, with buckles in back; also some perfectly plain. Have been reduced in price from 50c to ..... ONLY 25c EACH

Our Leather Belts, patent, calf, morocco, seal ooze, in black, brown and gray, have been reduced in price now from 50c to .....ONLY 25c EACH

Back and front Buckle Sets, 50c qualities have been reduced to 25c; also our Pearl Belt Pins, regular price 50c .....ONLY 25c EACH

WEST SECTION. RIGHT AISLE.

Here Are Splendid Special Prices for Towels, Tablecloths and Damasks

600 dozen Huckaback Towels, large size, with red, blue and plain borders usually 12½c and 17c each..... 3 FOR 25c

A big lot of fifteen-cent bleached Turkish Towels, either fringed or hemmed ..... 2 FOR 25c

10 dozen Table Covers, 10-4 size or Turkey Red Cloth; some red and white, others red and green. Regular price $1.00 .....ONLY 69c

We have some short lengths of Plain Satin Damask, 2 to 3½ yards, which is worth $1.00 a yard ..... ONLY 49c A YARD

PALMER STREET LEFT AISLE.

We have reduced the sale price of our Remnants, Fine Dimities and Muslins—worth 17c a yard, from 9c to ..... ONLY 5c A YARD

TEA AND COFFEE
For 65c
1 pound A. G. P. Coffee
½ pound Formosa Tea
1 can Pet Cream.
1 can Ralston Cocoa.
For 65c

MERRIMACK STREET. BASEMENT.

BAY STATE MILLS

Closed Because Finishing Dept. Got Behind

Because one department got ahead of another in the Bay State mills about 500 operatives in idleness. The shut down will continue for two weeks. It was the finishing department that got behind and that department is the only one busy at the present time.

REVERE BEACH

BOARD OF TRADE DEFENDS ITS GOOD NAME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—The tradespeople and amusement managers along Revere beach feel that the reputation of their resort has been somewhat damaged lately by the wide publicity which has been given to recent gaming and liquor raids by the state police in the town of Revere itself. They also feel that a wrong impression has gone forth regarding their attitude toward the Sunday amusement question and Thursday evening a meeting of the board was held for the purpose of correcting what they believe to be an injustice to them.

The meeting was well attended and the subject of the injury done the reputation of the state reservation because of its proximity to the town which has lately occupied such an unenviable place in the public mind was discussed at length. Finally the position of the beach people themselves was set forth by the adoption of the resolutions setting forth:

That, recent events in the town of Revere have given notoriety to the town and

That, by a natural confounding of the town of Revere with the Revere Beach park reservation, some of these happenings have been announced as having occurred at Revere Beach. Further:

That, such misinformation has doubtless injured the reputation of Revere Beach among those unacquainted with the geographical and other differences between the town and the reservation.

In view of these facts the Revere Beach board of trade, an association organized to protect and develop the interests of the Revere Beach reservation, calls public attention to the fact that Revere beach is remarkable for the good order and excellent character of the immense throngs that visit it during the summer season, as indicated by the infrequency of arrests made there by the ever vigilant reservation police force, for even minor misdemeanors and that Chief Wade of the state police force, recently stated that there is probably no other place in this country where so few arrests are made, in proportion to the numbers of people who go to the resort. The board furthermore asserts that in fairness to the beach amusement managers who have been conducting their business Sundays, it should be stated that they have been acting under what they have been advised is the correct interpretation of the law and have at no time assumed the attitude of wilful law breakers.

EIGHT YEARS OLD

Hugh L. Garrity Entertained Young Friends

Hugh Lester Garrity was eight years old yesterday and he observed the event in a thoroughly up-to-date manner. Hughy is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garrity and the birthday reception was held in the upper parlors of the Old Washington Tavern. Hughy proved himself a very genial host and was assisted in receiving by his mother and younger brothers. He entertained 50 of his young friends and as a token of the event all were presented with boxes of candy designed for the occasion. Hughy was the recipient of many pretty and practical presents, including a croquet set and a silk umbrella.

All up for the Tall Hat Game, Bunting Grounds, Saturday.

RUNAWAY HORSE

MANAGED TO BEAT OUT AN EXPRESS TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 14.—In a three-mile race between a runaway horse and an express train from Medford Hillside to Winchester, yesterday, the horse beat the train, but the driver, a lad named Moore, had been thrown from the wagon and badly injured, and the wagon demolished. Several persons had a narrow escape from being knocked down by the horse in its flight.

The animal, attached to a light wagon, was left in charge of Moore and bolted. When opposite the Brooks school the outfit struck a tree and Moore was thrown from the wagon. The horse continued his run and was soon clear of the wreck. He passed the West Medford railroad crossing just ahead of an express train from Boston, and from West Medford the horse took Grove street, which is parallel with the tracks. He was beating the train and the race continued to Winchester, which the horse reached ahead of the express. At Winchester the animal was captured unhurt and returned to his owner.

FELL FROM ROOF

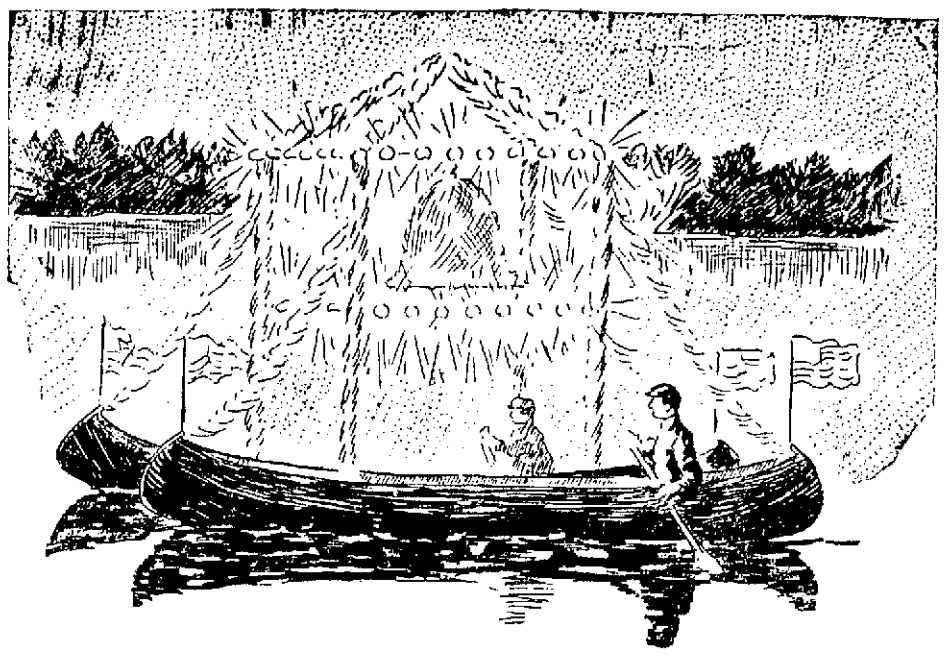
LITTLE GIRL KILLED WHILE VISITING HER AUNT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Evelyn Hayes, a pretty girl of 13 years, while on a visit to her aunt at 34 Ferrin street, Charlestown, was killed yesterday afternoon about 1.45 by falling from the roof of the house in which her aunt lives, a distance of 35 feet.

In company with her aunt, Miss Kate Broderick of 210 Heath street, Roxbury, Evelyn started for the home of Mrs. Lena Sullivan, 34 Ferrin street, another aunt. She played about the house and later went up to the roof with a glass of water. This, it is said, she started to pour into the yard, and in doing so lost her balance and fell.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.



SKETCH OF THE WINNING FLOAT.

WATER CARNIVAL

By the Residents at Willow Dale

AND THEIR FRIENDS FROM THIS CITY

Grand Display on the Shore and Lake

The second annual carnival and illuminated parade under the auspices of the proprietors of Willow Dale and the cottagers around Lake Mascuppic was held last night and proved to be a grand success, like its predecessor. It was a fine moonlight, but the brilliancy of the moon was lost in the magnificent illuminations along the water front and the highly illuminated boats.

Over two thousand people were present to witness the grand illuminated parade, the cottagers having sent out numerous invitations to their many friends, and judging from the attendance at the different houses the majority of the invitations were accepted.

The decorations and illuminations on the cottages along the water front were the most elaborate ever attempted, and the effect as seen from the pavilion at Lakeview was grand. Japanese lanterns were distributed around in an artistic manner and it was one steady stream of light from the Iroquois club around the Willow Dale end of the lake to the last cottage near Bull Run.

Among the places decorated were the following: Iroquois club, Jewett cottage, the "Bower," owned by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hovey; "Stone Tower," the property of Mr. Bradley of Boston; "Camp Princess," Mr. Tibbets; "Piney Ridge," Mr. Judson Phillips; Empire club, "The Forty Thieves," Walcott cottage, Claw cottage, Mason cottage, Vevas cottage, Packer cottage, Young cottage, Bailey cottage, Coburn cottage, Chase cottage, Keyes cottage, Luster cottage, Learey cottage, Saunders cottage, Kershaw cottage, Donavan cottage, Eagle club, Thompson cottage.

The first prize for the most beautifully decorated and illuminated cottage went to the Jewett cottage. It was surrounded on all sides with hundreds of Japanese lanterns, and red fire was burned during the greater part of the night. "Grand View" cottage, owned and occupied by Henry J. Keyes and family is worthy of special mention.

Numerous Chinese lanterns were arranged in an artistic manner and outlining the front of the cottage made a fine effect. Worked out in small lights and suspended from above was a design with the words "Grand View" in the centre, while about in the surrounding trees were suspended varied colored lanterns, while just below was a large transparency showing two large keys.

The "Idle Hour" cottage, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lussier, was also very prettily decorated as also was the Coburn cottage.

Of course the main attraction was the illuminated parade; for the past week the majority of the canoe boys have been making elaborate preparations for this event. While the parade was in progress the bright lights from the shore cast their rays on the water and showed hundreds of canoes which had not been decorated, but which were moving here and there in order to view the parade from an advantageous place.

As the illuminated canoes passed the different cottages and the pavilion at Willow Dale loud cheers and hearty applause were given.

At the close of the parade the judges, James McKinley, William Marin and Mr. Sherburn of Tyngsboro, awarded the first prize to Herbert L. Royer and Joseph Kittredge, who had their boats together. Their boats were decorated to represent the "Liberty Bell," and was one of the finest decorated crafts that has ever ridden the waters of the lake. The two canoes were placed side by side, being connected with light strips of wood, while in the centre was a belfrey and a canopy on top. Suspended from the belfry was a bell, and around the belfry were 75 incandescent lights. While the illuminations on the other boats were of Chinese and Japanese lanterns, Mr. Royer had placed three storage batteries in his boat which furnished plenty of power to run the incandescent lights. The lights were far more brilliant than that thrown by the lanterns, and as the boats, belfry and canopy were bedecked with streamers of crepe paper the effect was striking.

The second prize went to Mr. Upton who had a gasolene launch which was decorated so as to represent a whale.

The "Crescent and Star" run by Mr. Lussier won third prize.

The parade was in charge of Carl Mason, who won first prize last year, but who was unfortunate this year in having his canoe burned during the early part of the evening, after the decorations had caught fire.

MEADE RETIRED

Because He Sent a Disrespectful Letter

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—By order of the president, Col. Robert L. Meade of the U. S. marine corps will be retired Oct. 3 next in his present grade.

Because of a disrespectful letter which Col. Meade recently addressed to the navy department, the president took advantage of the law which provides that when an officer in the army or marine corps shall have reached the age of 62 years he may be retired on his own request or by order of the president.

Col. Meade recently requested that he be retired at an advanced grade. The law does not permit officers in the marine corps to be retired with advanced rank, but the president approved Meade's application for retirement.

Displeased that both his requests had not been granted, it is understood that Col. Meade addressed another letter to the department, requesting that his application be withdrawn, and charging among other things that the conditions for his retirement had been ignored.

The acting secretary recommended to the president that Col. Meade be allowed to withdraw his application for retirement, and that he be retired in accordance with the law on his 62d birthday.

President Roosevelt has promptly approved the recommendation of Acting Sec. Darling, and the necessary order has been issued.

FEAR OF "THE COP"

HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR APOPLEXY THAT CAUSED BOY'S DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14—Fear of the small boys' bugaboo, "the cop," caused the death yesterday of Wenzel Botha, Jr., 11 years old, son of Wenzel and Zelma Botha of 532 East 81st street.

Near the home of the Bothas, at 81st street and East End avenue, is a big vacant lot, surrounded by a fence, which is used as a storage place for wagons. This lot is a favorite playground for the boys of the neighborhood.

About 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon Policeman Schlolder was sauntering down East End avenue, between 82d and 81st streets. He did not see the boys playing in the lot, but a sharp-eyed youngster on the avenue saw the policeman, and putting his head over the fence, yelled: "Cheese it, the cop."

Instantly the boys within the lot scampered off, making for the 81st street side. Young Botha was among the foremost. He jumped over the fence, landing on his feet on the street. Then he staggered to the door of his home, a short distance away, and fell gasping into the arms of Ethel Muhte and Edith Brown, two little girls who live in the house.

Dr. Jones of the Presbyterian hospital, who responded to an ambulance call, could find no marks of an injury. He determined that death must have been caused by apoplexy.

SOCIALIST TALK

In Open Air Meeting in Kirk Street

There was a large gathering at the Kirk street church last night to listen to the address of Mr. Powers of Providence, R. I., who spoke on the rights of workingmen. Soon after Mr. Powers opened his address it could be seen that he was in favor of socialism as he condemned both the democratic and republican parties and told the people to support none but the workingmen for public offices.

He paid some attention to the recent strike and declared that the business men were favorable to the corporations.

Mr. Powers spoke of the laboring people being crushed by capitalists and declared that the cry of the mill owners of New England was: "Suffer little children to come unto me and I will skin them, stunt them and starve them."

The speaker spoke for over an hour and one of the prominent features of his remarks was an eulogy of Washington as a workingman and the statement that if Washington could come to Lowell today he could not even be elected to the school board.

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We are rapidly getting this stock in proper condition, but the wise shopper will find today and tomorrow some very excellent pickings.

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Stylish, perfect fitting, well made waists which cost anywhere from $15.00 to $60.00 per dozen to make, classified into 3 lots, and priced as follows:

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The Newest Novelties at Popular Prices

Belt Buckles and Sets.....25c each
New Designs in Ribbon Sets..25c each
Monogram Hat Pins, very new, ... 50c each
Several new styles in Shirt Waist Sets at .....25c and 50c each

Tea and Coffee Dept.

The very large demand that we had last Saturday for our new blend of Tea prompts us to repeat our offer tomorrow. We will give one pound of IMPERIAL CHOP TEA with one pound of pure coffee at 35 cents.

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MEN'S SUITS at *$9.75* . . . . worth $18.00
MEN'S SUITS at *$14.75* . . . worth $22.50
MEN'S SUITS at *$7.75* . . . . worth $15.00
MEN'S SUITS at *$12.75* . . . worth $20.00
MEN'S SUITS at *$16.95* . . . worth $28.00
MEN'S TOP COATS *$4.95* . . . worth $10.00

MEN'S TROUSERS *$1.95* . . . . worth $4.00
MEN'S TROUSERS *$2.95* . worth up to $6.00
BOYS' SHOES *68c* . . . . . worth $1.00
MEN'S SHOES *$1.37* . . worth up to $2.50
MEN'S SHOES *$1.67* . . worth up to $4.00
50c and 75c STRAW HATS down to . . *19c*

Men's $1.00 and $1.25 "Stag Brand" Negligee Shirts *69c*
Men's Fine Madras 50c and 75c Shirts *35c*
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 10c. 2 for 5c . *3c*
Men's Latest Block Fine Fur Stiff Hats, regular price $1.50. Sale price *89c*

Boys' Vestee Suits worth $3.00 and up to $6.00, *$1.00*
Youths' Suits up to 36 size, worth $6.00 . . . *$3.95*
Boys' Double Breasted Two Pieces Suits, worth up to $4, *$1.95*
Boys' Suits, all styles, including Little Giant Suits worth up to $6.00 . . . . . *$2.95*

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THE STORY OF THE GREAT FRESH AIR MOVEMENT

OF the many charities which have earned for this country the reputation of being the most philanthropical in the world there is none that has attained a more deserving eminence than the fresh air movement, which, as charities go, is of comparatively recent origin. Today there is scarcely a city or town of any size in the United States that does not boast its fresh air fund, devoted to sending the children of its poor out to pleasant homes in the country or healthful resorts by lakeside and seashore. It is impossible to say just how many young lives have been saved by this notable charity, but the number certainly runs into the hundreds of thousands, for the children, weak and emaciated by the rigors of a long winter and a listless spring spent amid insanitary conditions, return from their visit to the mountains or the ocean with renewed vitality and sufficient energy to withstand the baneful influences of their city environment.

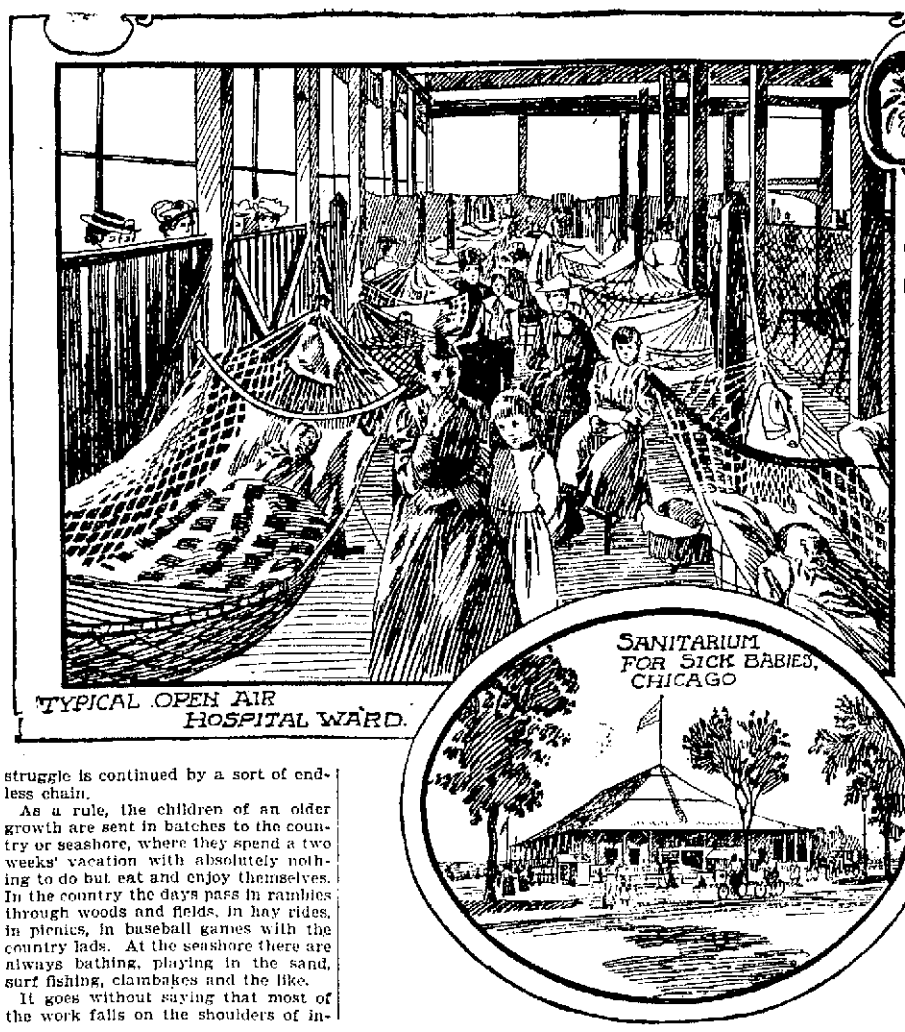
The good work is not confined to any particular religious sect or charitable organization. It is essentially national, being made possible by the generosity of people in all walks of life. In many places newspapers have established "fresh air funds" and take full charge of the task of seeing that the little ones are pleasantly located and have the best of attention. The first fresh air fund in the history of the country was started in 1877 by the Rev. William Parsons of New York, under the auspices of a newspaper, and the fund has been continued ever since with increasing benefit to the children of the east side. In the first year of its existence but sixty children were sent to the country; now its beneficiaries annually number many thousands, and the outlook for the present season is the brightest in its history.

A most important phase of the work has been the establishmnt of sanitariums and hospitals for sick babies, and in this newspapers have also played a prominent part. In Lincoln park, Chicago, stands a newspaper sanitarium, whither for over fifteen years babies have been conveyed by the wagon load and given a chance to breathe the pure air denied them in their tenement homes. This sanitarium is but one of many to be found the length and breadth of the land, for the benefits of such an institution are so widely recognized that many city hospitals for sick children have established summer homes in health giving localities.

In some cases, moreover, provision is made for the mothers of the children, and this extension of the charity is invariably followed by far reaching results. The mothers are taught how best to care for their babies and how to prevent simple ills from developing into serious diseases. The proud mothers when they return to the city hasten to impart their knowledge to the mothers of other children, and in this way the work of ameliorating the handicaps under which the poor must always struggle is continued by a sort of endless chain.

As a rule, the children of an older growth are sent in batches to the country or seashore, where they spend a two weeks' vacation with absolutely nothing to do but eat and enjoy themselves. In the country the days pass in rambles through woods and fields, in hay rides, in picnics, in baseball games with the country lads. At the seashore there are always bathing, playing in the sand, surf fishing, clambakes and the like.

It goes without saying that most of the work falls on the shoulders of individuals, and it is to the credit of the American people that so many of them are willing to further the charity by far more than mere financial aid. Men and women, merely from love of the cause, annually devote part of their summer to entertaining in their country homes the little ones of the underworld, and some of the most prominent in this feature of the work are among the leaders of social life. Then, too, there are the farmers throughout the country who undertake to care for a stated number of children every year. True, they are in most instances paid fairly well for boarding the youngsters, but even then they are deserving of the highest praise, for it is to be taken for granted that the fresh air fund beneficiaries run wild over the farms, chase the chickens, sheep and pigs and do all manner of things that must sorely try their hosts' temper.



TYPICAL OPEN AIR HOSPITAL WARD.

SANITARIUM FOR SICK BABIES, CHICAGO

ENJOYING COUNTRY LIFE

So far as New York is concerned the movement will ere long receive a noteworthy extension through the generosity of the head of the United States Steel corporation, Charles M. Schwab, who, together with his wife, is displaying a great deal of interest in this form of philanthropy. Little more than a year ago Mr. Schwab purchased Richmond Beach, on the south shore of Staten Island, and he will build there a splendid resort for the benefit of the poor and sick children of the city. The property includes about a quarter of a mile of fine beach, a fresh water lake and a grove. It is a veritable paradise for children, and when Mr. Schwab's plans are fully developed about 2,000 youngsters will be provided for daily, being given a good time in the usual way. The several charitable organizations in the city will see to it that all the children possible make the trip to "Schwab park."

Another famous outdoor charity for New York's little ones is that conducted by St. John's guild, antedating by several years the organized fresh air movement. For over thirty-five years the guild has been operating floating hospitals and seaside homes for sick children and their mothers, the benefits being open to all without creed, class or sectarian distinction. The floating hospital is a large barge equipped with cots, hammocks and all needful appliances, and having on board a corps of doctors and nurses. The children are taken aboard early in the morning and the barge is then towed down the river and into the bay, returning to the city late in the afternoon with its little charges. Needless to say it is given the right of way over all the craft in the river and bay.

Apart from the direct good it accomplishes the fresh air movement is of incalculable value to the nation at large. It is a perennial appeal to the better instincts of humanity, and it is at the same time an important factor in the development of those more fortunate children who have no need of its assistance. It enlists their sympathy and aid, and moves thousands of them to active works of charity, with the consequent result of their growing up better and purer types of American manhood and womanhood. In many places the fresh air fund would not exist were it not for the children who contrive, as children will, to devise schemes which will not only be financially profitable to the cause of charity, but will also be vastly entertaining to the little philanthropists. They hold fancy goods bazaars, give concerts, circuses, minstrel shows, amateur theatricals and literary entertainments, erect toy stores whereat are dispensed lemonade and popcorn, and conduct flower shows and ice cream sociables. Girls of course predominate in this work, but the boys gladly lend a helping hand. These entertainments continue winter and summer, sowing in many youthful hearts seeds of brotherly love and kindness which the after years with their stern realities can never eradicate.

H. ADDINGTON BRUCE.

WAR AGAINST BOOKS.

The last authorized book burning in Great Britain was in 1779, when "The Commercial Restraint of Ireland Considered," by the Hon. Hely Hutchinson, was given to the flames. The war against books began under Henry VIII., when books were burned by both religious parties. All copies of Tyndale's Bible that could be bought up were publicly burned at St. Paul's on Shrove Tuesday, 1527, and a general destruction by fire of unlicensed books was ordered three years later by the king. In 1565 the star chamber claimed the power of licensing and seizing books, and its scrutiny was as rigorous as that of the inquisition.

A SPIRIT PICTURE OF CANON KNOX-LITTLE.

That the camera will play all sorts of uncommon and sometimes embarrassing tricks has long been known, but it is seldom that it unwittingly takes a "spirit picture" of a clergyman, or, for that matter, of anybody. The remarkable feature of the present camera escapade is that the subject of the picture, Canon Knox-Little, an English cleric, is a devout believer in ghosts. Photographers are still trying to account for the peculiar secondary photograph of the worthy clergyman. The picture was one of a set taken by a periodical for use in connection with an illustrated interview.

SOME FACTS ABOUT EYES.

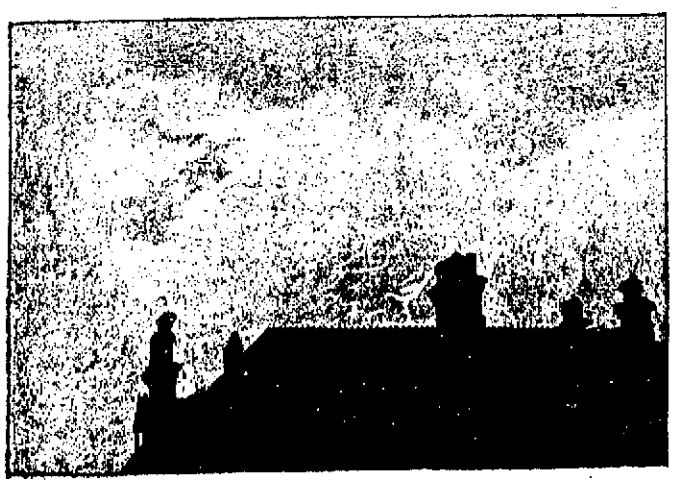
Men and monkeys alone, of all the animal world, possess parallel and convergent vision of the two eyes. The lower mammals possess divergent and consequently very widely extended vision. Squirrels are able to see an enemy directly from behind without turning the head.

INTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

SUMMER GIRL'S STRANGE PET.

Summer girls have all sorts of odd fancies, but the palm for whimsicality must be awarded this year to a pretty miss at Atlantic City who cherishes a pet lion cub, with which she appears on the beach. To all seeming the animal is gentle and harmless, but the average visitor to the sands gives the girl and the cub a wide berth.

REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF LIGHTNING.



The accompanying illustration was made from a photograph taken from the deck of a vessel lying off the shore of a Lake Ontario village. It is undoubtedly one of the most realistic lightning photographs ever made, showing as it does an ugly simultaneous display of flashes.

QUAINT NATURAL MONUMENT.

The curious pile of rocks shown in the illustration is known as the "Cheesewring" and stands a short distance from Liskeard, in Cornwall, England. Thirty-two feet high, many of the upper stones overhang the base to such

an extent that one would swear they were just about to topple to the ground. But they have been standing in this fashion for many centuries. Some persons assert that they were put together by the Druids, but the theory that is probably correct is that they are the result of denudation.

TATTOOED RACE VANISHING.

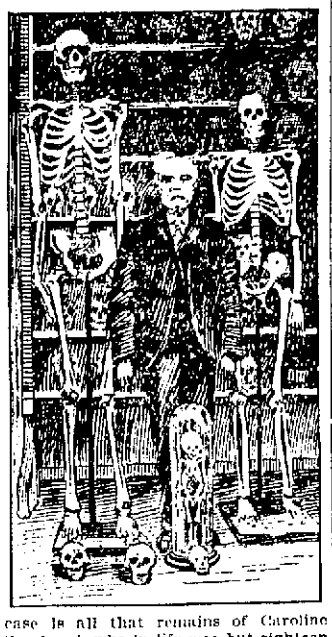
The report from New Zealand to the effect that the Maoris, the celebrated tattooed aborigines of that country, are slowly but surely disappearing and that in a comparatively short time the race will be extinct, has revived interest

HEAD OF A MAORI CHIEF.

in this curious people, who at one time ranked as the most bloodthirsty cannibals ever encountered by explorers. When the whites first went to New Zealand the Maori population was about 100,000, while today it is less than 35,000. The illustration shows how the Maoris make their naturally hideous faces all the more repulsive by tattooing. They carry the grotesque designs to the grave.

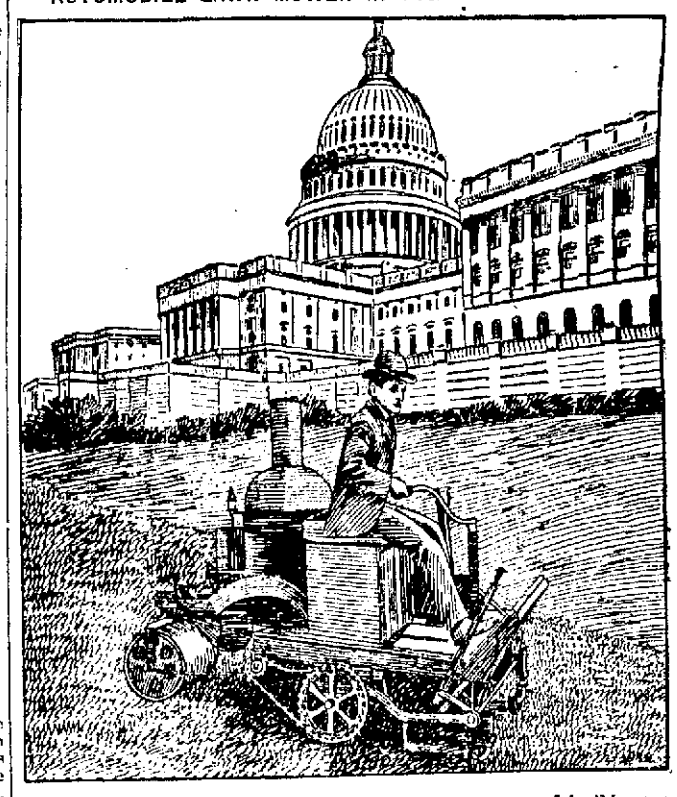
THE LONG AND THE SHORT OF IT IN SKELETONS.

The illustration speaks for itself. The tallest skeleton is that of Giant O'Brien, who stood eight feet in his stockings, while the tiny skeleton in the glass



case is all that remains of Caroline Crachami, who in life was but eighteen inches high. The illustration was made from a photograph taken at the Royal College of Surgeons in England, where the skeletons are preserved.

AUTOMOBILE LAWN MOWER IN USE AT THE CAPITOL.

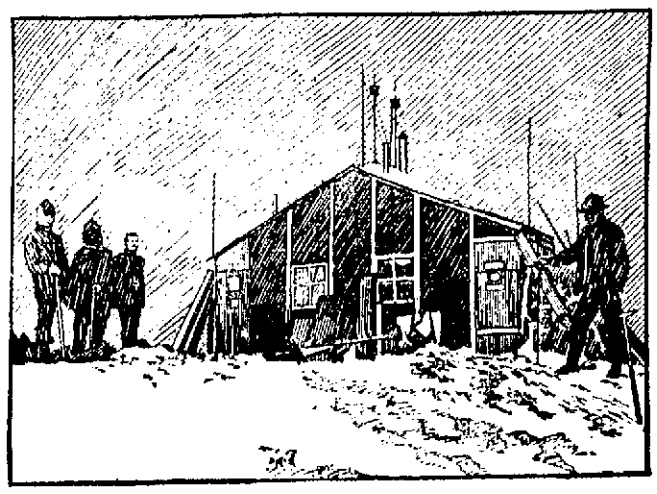


What is believed to be the first automobile lawn mower used in this country is employed on the grounds around the White House and the capitol in Washington, where it may be seen almost every day cutting grass. The statement is made that it does its work neatly and expeditiously and at the same time does no damage to the beautiful lawns.

NOVEL FEATURE OF A GYMKHANA CONTEST.

The gymkhana is a sort of amateur athletic meet in which the belles and beaux of society take part. All genuine gymkhanas boast unique and original features, such as driving pigs in harness, racing geese and so forth. At a recent gymkhana one of the popular contests scheduled was a race between rows of champagne bottles, as shown in the illustration, the fair competitors being blindfolded and driven in teams by young swells, upon whom devolved the task of steering their teams successfully between the rows of bottles. Prizes were awarded to those who knocked down the smallest number of bottles during their journey.

A COUNTRY HOME IN HIGH ALTITUDES.



Our illustration shows the country house and observatory of M. Joseph Vallot, who many years ago became fascinated with wonderful Mont Blanc in the Alps, and subsequently erected on its summit the odd looking dwelling herewith pictured. M. Vallot was inspired to build this house not alone in the interests of science, but as a place of refuge for those mountain climbers who might be exhausted by the perilous journey, and as a mountain hospital it holds a unique record. Owing to the great difficulty of transporting materials to the summit of the mountain, it was many weeks before the necessary lumber, etc., was on the site of the building, and then it took 110 men a week to put the house together.

REV. P. E. ASLEY, INSTALLED PASTOR OF SWEDISH CHURCH.

NEW MINISTER

Rev. P. E. Asley Installed

AS PASTOR OF SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Ceremony Was an Elaborate One

With all the formality and detail of the Lutheran church ritual, surrounded by visiting clergymen and in the presence of an assembly that crowded the church to its very doors, Rev. P. E. Asley was installed as pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church in Meadowcroft street, last night.

The installation ceremony was delivered by Rev. Dr. L. P. Ahlquist of Wilcox, Pa. All of the clergymen carried bibles and all read scriptural quotations bearing on the charge which was being delivered over to the new pastor and the latter read the creed of the church.

The very impressive ceremony closed with the laying on of hands by the clergymen, while they repeated the Lord's prayer in unison.

The ministers present were: Rev. Dr. L. P. Ahlquist, Wilcox, Pa.; Rev. E. J. Nystrom, Worcester; Rev. F. A. Engstrand, Worcester; Rev. C. F. Johannson, Boston; Rev. C. W. Andeer, Boston; Rev. J. A. Anderson, Brockton; Rev. J. A. Bernhard, Quincy; Rev. Mr. Lindevalle, Lynn; Rev. J. A. Peterson, Waltham; Rev. H. Jacobson, Cambridgeport; Rev. N. E. Kron, Manchester, N. H.; Rev. J. H. Holmgren, Concord, N. H.; Rev. C. J. Beckman, Gardner; Rev. Peter Froeberg, Orange; Rev. J. P. Lundahl, Proctor, Vt.; Rev. Elof Peterson, Woburn; Rev. Charles Holberg, Everett and Rev. John Gullans, Worcester; S. E. Froeberg, Portland, Me.; and A. Anderson, Woburn.

Rev. P. E. Asley was born in Northern Sweden. He came to this country when a young man and entered the Augustana Theological seminary, at Rock Island, Ill. He graduated from that institution and went to Salt Lake City, Utah, where he worked as missionary for over eight years, among the Mormons.

CANFIELD WINS

Cleared up $200,000 in Wall Street

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Richard Canfield has made $200,000 by successful speculation in the stock of the Reading railroad, which had a sensational advance yesterday.

Wall street has the story that he got the tip to buy the stock several weeks ago from a member of the Vanderbilt family, who has on several occasions been a patron of his establishment, now closed.

Mr. Canfield bought 20,000 shares of the stock in the week ending Saturday, July 2, at an average price of 47. He closed out yesterday at an average price of 57. His profit therefore, represents 10 points advance in the market.

Mr. Canfield's speculative operations were conducted through an Exchange place firm, the senior member of which has frequently been a patron of Mr. Canfield's both in New York and Saratoga, and who was one of the recalcitrant witnesses whom Dist. Atty. Jerome failed to compel to testify against the Canfield gambling establishment.

It is said that the entire Canfield group of gamblers have made handsome profits out of the tip from the Vanderbilt interests. Mr. Canfield is in Saratoga conducting a fashionable restaurant and when the news came out in Wall street yesterday, his former patrons sent him telegrams of congratulations, for Mr. Canfield is popular in the Waldorf-Astoria set despite the fact that Dist. Atty. Jerome has charged that he operated "brace" games which his patrons had never a chance to beat.

SHOT IN THIGH

G. W. JONES WOUNDED AT NANTASKET BEACH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NANTASKET, Aug. 14.—G. W. Jones, proprietor of the shooting gallery at Nantasket state reservation, was accidentally shot last evening by an employe named James Caldwell.

Caldwell was trying to put down the hammer of a 22-caliber Winchester rifle, used in the gallery, when it was discharged, sending a bullet through an inch board partition into the office where Mr. Jones was standing and into his thigh.

The injured man was taken to the Massachusetts general hospital in Boston, where efforts were to be made to extract the bullet by the employment of the X-ray.

In the early summer Caldwell gave exhibitions here as a snake eater under the professional name of Osae.

Mr. Jones is a blind man, belonging in Boston. He came to Nantasket this summer for the first time and opened a shooting gallery.

THIRTEEN YEARS

LETTER ON THE WAY FOR A LONG TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTH WEYMOUTH, Aug. 14.—A letter has just been received at the post office here that has been on the way 13 years.

It bears the date stamp of Feb. 10, 1890. On the upper corner are the words "Return in 20 days." Where it has been during this long period nobody knows.

BOY DROWNED

HAD JUST CELEBRATED HIS BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Aug. 14.—Walter Lutes, 10 years old, whose parents live at 26 Elvir street, was drowned in Floating bridge pond yesterday afternoon while fishing. Up to a late hour last night the body had not been recovered.

The boy celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday and his parents gave him a gold watch. In company with a smaller brother he went fishing and while Walter went upon the railroad bridge the brother remained on the foot bridge.

Soon the latter heard a splash and saw his brother struggling in the water. The boy sank twice and then came to the surface and started to swim to the shore, but suddenly sank out of sight.

VESUVIUS ACTIVE

PEOPLE IN THE VICINITY GREATLY ALARMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Aug. 14.—Vesuvius is again causing intense alarm in the surrounding region, the eruptions of the volcano being very heavy yesterday. This alarming activity, which followed the shocks of earthquake, is augmenting. The detonations are very loud and almost continuous, while from a fresh opening at the base of the principal crater two streams of lava are issuing which within a few hours covered a wide tract of ground. One stream has covered ground already arid from previous eruptions, but the other is going swiftly towards the village of Ottajano, the direction taken by the famous eruptions of 1872. The whole district around the volcano is shaken by frequent earth shocks and a perfect panic prevails.

SECRETARY MOODY

STARTED FOR OYSTER BAY YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Secretary of the Navy William H. Moody, with several friends, among whom was ex-Secretary of the Navy W. E. Chandler, arrived at the navy yard yesterday to board the dispatch boat Dolphin for Oyster Bay, where the North Atlantic squadron is to be reviewed on Saturday. After Rear Admiral Johnson had paid his compliments to the visitors, the Dolphin sailed.

THOUSANDS DESTITUTE

APPALLING SUFFERING IN THE HURRICANE DISTRICT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, Ja., Aug. 14.—The destitution in the hurricane district is appalling. Thousands of persons, homeless, starving and ill-clad, are hurrying to the towns to obtain shelter and supplies but as all the churches and public buildings have been demolished the misery is intense. A meeting held at Port Anthonia yesterday appealed, with the governor's approval to the generosity of the American people. Foodstuffs and lumber are urgently needed and assistance was implored.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Edward L. Dwyer yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy with the clerk of the United States district court. The liabilities are fixed at $374,856, and assets $150. Most of these liabilities are secured.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS COMPANY

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OUR BUSINESS WAS BUILT UP ALONG THOSE LINES AND WE HAVE HAD A GOODLY MEASURE OF SUCCESS FOR WHICH WE HEARTILY THANK OUR PUBLIC, BUT WE ARE HARDLY SATISFIED, PROBABLY NEVER WILL BE. WE EXPECT STILL MORE, AND IF WORTHY MERCHANDISE, GUARANTEED SATISFACTION AND COURTEOUS TREATMENT COUNT FOR ANYTHING (AND DOESN'T IT?) WE WILL SEE OUR EXPECTATIONS REALIZED.

READ OVER THIS LIST OF OFFRINGS

And See if We Haven't "Made Good"

GREEN TRADING STAMPS

Are here to stay, notwithstanding the rumors going abroad about their illegality after October 1st. We would like to explain in these columns but space at present forbids, but come in the store and we will explain to your entire satisfaction that YOU WILL GET your S. & H. green stamps AFTER OCT. 1st, just the same as you do now.

JUST OPENED—50 BARRELS OF

GLASSWARE

Consisting of crystal and colored effects, in punch bowls, fruit and berry dishes, water sets, water bottles, tankards, oils and vinegar, bon bons, etc. This lot was a bargain we picked up in a large manufacturer's store room, and was bought considerably under the prevailing prices. We shall sell as we bought, consequently the public will have a chance to secure some surprising values.

A PARTIAL LIST—LISTEN

TUMBLERS 10 FOR 10c—Pressed glass, imitation needle etched band, fluted bottoms. Regular price 36c doz.

CUSTARD OR LEMONADE GLASSES 5c each—With Handles. Regular Price 75c doz.

2 QT. WATER PITCHER 10c EACH—With foot, good clear glass, excellent designs. Regular price 19c.

WINE AND CORDIAL GLASSES 3 FOR 10c. Regular price 60c doz.

TUMBLERS 5c EACH—Best quality blown glass with fancy bands. Regular price 89c doz.

FRUIT, BERRY AND BON BON DISHES 10c EACH—Cut glass patterns, fancy shapes and designs. Regular price 15c and 19c.

PUNCH BOWLS $2.98—Large size, detached foot, rich cut glass patterns, very special.

WATER SET WITH TRAY 59c—Consists of 2 qt. pitcher, 6 tumblers to match and fancy metal tray (either gold or silver finish.) The design is new and very pretty. The glass is a pure crystal.

SURPRISING!!!

TAFFETA SILK

Good quality Taffeta Silk, all Silk not part something else, selling at 29c per yard. Isn't it surprising? Of course you can't tell what the quality is only by our say so. When you see it you can; that's just what we want you to do, see it, give it a thorough examination. After you are through, if you don't say it's the best value you ever saw for the money, well —— but we know you will say it's the best you ever saw. We have such implicit confidence in this Silk value nothing can shake it. Let us know if you DON'T agree with us.

We've sold no better silk at 49c yard. Remember, 19 in. wide, and only **29c Yard**

HELLO CENTRAL.

Give me 512-4, please.

HELLO; BON MARCHE?

Kindly send to 16 Moreofit St. 2 gallons

ICE CREAM

1 gal. vanilla and 1 gal. strawberry. Hella! Strawberry not chocolate. When? Oh, yes. Right away, please. Send it C. O. D. I'll pay the driver the $2.00 when he delivers it. Good bye.

Last Call

HAMMOCKS

ONE LOT 25c EACH—Full size, open weave, fancy colors, pillow spreader and valance, perfect in every way, but they must go, we need the room, only 50 in the lot. Don't come too late. Always sold for 95c each.

You'll Have to Ask for This

COMBINATION

If you want to see it and we give you our word, it's worth seeing.

1 Pair Ruffled Curtains,
1 Brass Rod,
1 Pair Loops,
} All for **31c**

Figure out how much you would usually pay for them. Call at Drapery Dept. and we'll tell you.

Circulating Library

MRS. A. A. DUNN

Mrs. Dunn is not a guest, but a permanent member of our household. Some of her friends told her they were informed that she was only here temporarily. Such is NOT THE CASE. She is here for good, and would be pleased to see her old acquaintances in her pleasant quarters in the book section.

DEAR READER, have you looked into this circulating library scheme? If you haven't 'twil pay you to do so.

A Bargain in

BELTS

We haven't many, probably enough to last for several hours. Rapid selling, but don't wait too long. They may go faster than we expect. HERE IT IS: The material is a mercerized moire with fancy buckles, both front and back, good lining and stitching. While they last, **10c each.**

ALSO a lot of 50c Belts marked down to 25c.

NEW—An embroidered Canvas Belt with white ground and colored mercerized cotton embroidery. Price 25c.

The Fad of the Hour

Scientific Palm Reading

Mme. Allidah, Assisted by Mme. Katherine

These clever students of the Great Cheiro, by years of hard study and deep research in the mystic art of reading the lines of the human hand have become generally known as the

QUEENS AT PALMISTRY.

In the two weeks they have been with us over one thousand people have visited their booth and had their hands read. The universal praise accorded them by our patrons has caused us to extend their engagement a few days longer.

10c Readings 10c

Booth located rear Millinery Dept., near Shoe Section.

Alluring Values in

SHELL GOODS

A welcome trade wind blew us these good things. See what YOU think of them: Pompadour Combs, Side Combs, Empire Combs and Hair Barrettes; a clean up from a big maker. Made to sell for 50c and 75c. Our Price, 25c.

Our New

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO

On fifth floor in causing much favorable comment. Business commenced from the very start and from present indications it will prove a sharp rival to our other departments.

CUSTOMERS WILL PLEASE BEAR IN MIND THE WORK WE PREVIOUSLY HAD DONE OUTSIDE WILL NOW BE DONE IN

OUR OWN STUDIO

Elevator service, perfect light, charming arrangements and guaranteed work should make this studio the Mecca for the hundreds and thousands who annually visit Photograph Studios. Even if you don't want your picture "took," ask the elevator man to show you the rooms. VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.

The New Bostonia

POMPADOUR COMB

Cool, clean, comfortable, correct contour, cannot crush. Prevents falling hair and itching scalp. Keeps hair fresh and dry, allowing free circulation of air through the pompadour. NO MORE HOT, UNCOMFORTABLE HAIR "RATS."

Made in two sizes, amber and shell,

Price *25c,* either size

Special Values

IN SHIRT WAISTS

You know what good values are. You are a woman. (This talk is to women) and we'll be disappointed if a good many women do not take advantage of the exceptional opportunity. How could they pass it with these bargains before them?

White Lawn Waists, *49c*

Front made of 14 hemstitched tucks and 4 box plaits, tucked back, large sleeve. Hemstitched cuffs and stock, worth 98c.

White Muslin Waists, *98c*

Extra fine quality, front composed of four rows of Val. insertion, 12 tucks and 2 rows of embroidery, also embroidered panel, tucked back and stock, tucked sleeves, 3-4 length, worth $1.98.

White Mull Waists, *$1.98*

Front made with broad panel, six deep tucks, and 5 large silk medallions, tucked back and sleeves, strapped shoulder and fancy stock, worth $1.98.

A chance of a——. We were going to say lifetime. Perhaps that's too far fetched. However, anyhow, YOU judge.

ASTERS

Handsome ones, the same kind we sold last week, only at a much cheaper price this week, white and fast colors.

25 for 10 Cents

On sale Friday and Saturday.

Contagious, Yes,

THE CORSET

Sale which opened last week Friday (and is still continuing) contained such an element of economy that the interest manifested seemed to be contagious. Everybody was interested, that is, everybody with a Corset want to fill, and many besides were the putting in a Future Supply. How Could They Help It, with Corsets worth $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50, at

59 Cents Pair

These Corsets are the well known "American Lady" brand, noted for comfort and style. Odds and ends, 'tis true, and with the "Seconds" mark on them, but Perfect in every other way. Over a dozen styles in Satine and Batiste.

Aren't they worth looking up?

Cut Prices

SCREENS AND SCREEN DOORS

Everything marked down in this line. Only room here for 2 numbers.

Screens, *10c*

Dark finish, adjustable, good wire. Regular Price 15c and 19

Screen Doors, *49c*

Complete with spring, hinges, knob hook and eyes and screws. Regular price 89c.

Bargains in the

DOMESTIC BASEMENT SECTION

PILLOW SLIPS 11c EACH

Sizes 42x36 and 45x36. Extra good cotton, finished like linen, 3 in. hems. At the price of cotton today should sell for 15c each. Special 11c each.

BUREAU SCARFS 39c EACH

Table Covers and Pillow Shams, hemstitched and drawn work, would be good value at 49c or 69c.

ANTISEPTIC DIAPER CLOTH 59c PIECE

10 yards in piece, all perfect goods. Each piece in a paper bag. Usual Price 79c piece.

DANISH CLOTH 10c YARD

Black only. They tell us it is being sold in Boston for 19c and 25c yard. We know it is being sold elsewhere for 12½c, 15c and 17c yard Here 10c yard.

DIMITIES AND LAWNS 5c YARD—Have sold for 10c.

CORDED MADRAS 8 1-2c YARD—36 in. wide, suitable for women's Wash Suits, Waists or Men's Shirts. Usually 12 1-2c yard.

New Idea Patterns, None Better, ... 10c

COUNTERS FOR SALE

A Story of a Youthful Hero and a Hospital Nurse

McManus, Professional

By ***OLIVIER HENRY***

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NUMBER NINE, surgical ward, was lying quite still, with his eyes tightly closed and his little freckled hands pressed down hard on the covers so they might not see how they were trembling. Two doctors were standing by his bed. One was a large, portly man with bushy gray hair and a pretentious manner. That was the great Dr. Fletcher, senior physician in charge. The other—younger, thin, less imperative, wearing double glasses and a therapeutic side whisker—was Dr. Parks, the junior. Number Nine pretended to be asleep and listened, for they were talking about his case.

"But"— said Dr. Parks hesitatingly.

"But what?" said Dr. Fletcher impatiently. "The symptoms are there."

"Except"—

"Except the fever. I know he doesn't carry temperature. But it has never been proved that fever is invariably attendant."

"If"— began the junior.

"'If' is a dangerous word in surgery, my dear Parks."

The objector succumbed. The great Fletcher had dropped the formal and always slightly ironical "doctor" and had called him "my dear Parks." It was an unusual thing for the senior physician in charge to court the opinion of the junior, and perhaps that is why the junior regarded the diagnosis of Number Nine with something resembling suspicion. However, he succumbed to the cajolery of his chief.

"I shall operate at 3 o'clock this afternoon," said Dr. Fletcher. "If you care to be present you will, of course, receive mention as 'assisting' in the operation. But, as you do not concur in the diagnosis, I"—

"Indeed," interrupted Dr. Parks—"indeed, I fully agree with you in all the main points and will be glad to act as your assistant. Your knowledge, your experience, your high rank in"—

"Then," cut in the chief curtly, "at 3 sharp."

This being the last case in the surgical ward to be considered, the two physicians turned their momentous steps outward.

Number Nine opened his eyes, which were pale blue and very strained and scared looking.

Being only ten years old, he believed in the superstition that doctors and operating knives are the natural enemies of the integral human being.

The new surgical nurse came along and stopped at the foot of the bed. He and Number Nine had become friends immediately after their acquaintance had begun.

Perhaps some explanation is due as to why the Needle's Eye hospital came to employ Robert McManus as a professional nurse. The hospital was supported by a legacy and managed by a board, and that accounted for many things besides the popping of many corks in the officers' quarters and exceeding thin beef tea in the patients' wards. For example, if a pleasant faced young fellow comes along and is willing to undertake for fifty dollars certain duties that stand for a hundred on the pay roll, you naturally engage him on the spot. It is plain to see that the money will go further—in other di-

"INDEED, I FULLY AGREE WITH YOU."

rections. In this wise we find McManus, professional, at his new post.

"Hello, kid!" said McManus, looking closely at the boy's chalky face. "What's the trouble?"

A shaky little paw crept from under the coverlet and clutched a finger of McManus' hand.

"Bob, you know as much as the doctors do, don't you?"

"Well, kid," said the nurse cogitatively, "a man gets rusty in his business sometimes. You see, I haven't been followin' my regular profession right lately. I played short and third with the Little Rocks all summer and they went to pieces and left me on the hog. I saw an ad. in the paper about a professional nurse wanted here, so I thought I'd sign with the hospital till there's somethin' doin'. You might keep all that to yourself, though, kid."

"Bob," said the boy with laboring breath, "do you know what pendy—pendy—sy—tis is?"

"Sure thing," answered McManus cheerfully. "The Sunday paper tells about it. But you don't call it right. It's appendiseedus. It comes from eatin' apple seeds, and they slice you up for it."

Number Nine's hand clung tighter. "They thought I was asleep," he continued—"the doctors did—and I heard 'em talkin'. What's 'op—per—rate,' Bob?"

"Operate?" Bob rubbed his nose gently. "Why, that's the medical term for carvin'. They're goin' to carve some party up to see what's in 'um. Guess it's that guy in the last bed. I heard the croaker say last night he was goin' to cut off his narcotics."

"No, it's me, Bob; it's me! They was standin' right over me and thought I was asleep. Don't let 'em cut me up, Bob—please don't!"

"Steady, now, kid. Don't play too far, off your base. Why didn't you say it was you?"

"I ain't got it, Bob—honest I ain't! It's just a little pain that 'll be well in a few days. Don't let 'em do it, Bob."

"Hold your base, now. These croakers ought to be on to their job. They want to do what's best for you. A croaker, you know, kid, he does the infightin' while a trained nurse like me only does the bottle and sponge act, you might say. They looked into your case. You been eatin' plenty apples, I guess, and swallowin' seeds."

"I double crisscross declare, Bob, I ain't et an apple in two months."

"That's funny," mused the new nurse perplexedly. "It comes always from eatin' apple seeds. What give you this pain, then, kid?"

Number Nine drew a long, slow, quivering breath.

"Nothin' never give it to me," he answered dully—"nothin 't all. Me fadder sent me here 'cause I was sick." After a pause he continued: "Me fadder gimme a sled one Chris'mus. Me fadder was good to me. Three o'clock, the doctor said, Bob, and it's most 12 now."

McManus laid Number Nine's paw back upon the covers and rose, stooping over him to arrange the pillow.

"Kid," he said thoughtfully, "you lay still and remember that Bob is goin' to look out for your interests. I'm goin' to investigate this business. Honest, now, you ain't been eatin' apples?"

"Hope I may die 'f I have, Bob."

The hospital druggist, an anæmic young man in a garrulous checked suit and red necktie, was bending over his counter, jabbing capsules full of a white powder. Came the new nurse and leaned upon his elbow two feet away.

"Hospital pretty full for the time of year, doctor?" inquired the nurse insinuatingly, and scored a base hit.

"Oh, I'm not one of the physicians!" said the druggist in a tone that intimated the loss to the institution. "Though if it wasn't for my looking after things I don't know what the patients would do, old Fletcher's away so much. You're the new nurse—professional?"

"Professional—sure! It must take a pretty wise head, now, to hold your job. Guess you get on to all the latest dodges. What's your opinion about operatin' for appendiseedus, now?"

"It's a deuced neat caper," said the druggist, with a critical frown. "I always assist old Fletcher. He's crazy about appendi-ci-tis—excuse me—cases. He's writing a book on the subject. He's a brilliant operator, but I don't exactly approve of his plan of ligating and amputating below the ligature. I believe in suturing over it. Still, he's been successful."

"Your idea seems to me to be best," said McManus, with admiration in his tone. "Now, that kid, Number Nine, they're goin' to operate on—you think he's got it?"

"Well," said the druggist, slowly closing one eye, "did Eighteen have necrosis when Fletcher amputated his leg last Thursday? And did Five have septicæmia when he lost an arm on Saturday? I guess I can talk to you. You know what a surgeon who is writing a book wants—he wants subjects. Great Galen, he's an operator, though! It's

"ME FADDER SENT ME HERE."

a privilege to see him handle the blades. Cool!" The druggist shook his head in commendation beyond words.

"You mean the kid ain't got it?" asked the nurse, with a shade too much interest in his voice. The druggist's enthusiasm ebbed a little. He shrugged his shoulders.

"Oh, he's been diagnosed. Fletcher is supposed to know his business. But," he added in a little flurry of self vindication, "you know yours, too, so just take a look at the temperature chart on the wall behind his bed."

"You know a first class croaker—er—I mean doctor—that's got an office close around here?" asked the nurse suddenly.

"There's Dr. McIvor, on the next corner below, this side of the street. I'm studying theory and practice with him; after hours. He's Al, but not as daring as Fletcher."

Half an hour later McManus walked into Dr. McIvor's office and laid down $4.20 upon the table.

"That's my pile, Doc," he announced. "Take it and write me out on a piece of paper full directions how to size up when a party's got appendiseedus, dead sure thing or not, whichever the case may be."

At a quarter to 3 Dr. Fletcher strolled into the surgical ward jingling silver in his pocket and humming a tune in a very flat key. In his pseudo cheerful, loud voice he rallied the patients playfully—miserable wretches who must perforce seem visibly grateful for this gratis sick room heartiness—thus performing the part of the benefactor who condescends to relax.

Round the room he went, stopping here and there, pretending to be unaware of a certain bed, as a cat will sometimes circle, counterfeiting ignorance of a mouse she has caught and laid, disabled, a little out of her reach. While on his round he spoke a word to an attendant who put on a big white apron and went and busied himself in a smaller adjoining room.

At five minutes to 3 the new nurse began to hover around Number Nine's bed. As the clock began to strike he had just completed his fifth or sixth pretended arrangement of the bedclothes. On the stroke Number Nine's hand closed, with a desperate grip of terror, around his friend's primary digit. Dr. Parks strolled in, imitating as far as his rather mean port would permit the benignant strut of his superior. Finally, as the cat abandons comedy and goes to its meat, the senior physician's stroll culminated at Number Nine's bedside.

"And how does my little man feel?" he lisped, with the painful sprightliness of a stranger to child talk.

The nurse's finger that the boy held seemed to be in a vise. Number Nine's freckles grew dark against his increasing pallor. His eyes, the irises of which were completely white encircled, stared so fixedly at the distinguished vivisectionist that that gentleman's spurious smile became almost real as he noted the marvelous resemblance of Number Nine to one of the many rabbits he had seen gaze thus up at him wired down to his dissecting table.

"We will take 'little man in the other room and make um well. So nice! Diddle-dy-dum-dy-doo! You bring him," he added to McManus. "He seems to have taken a fancy to you."

Bob slipped one arm under Number Nine's neck and the other under his knees. The boy gulped a hard breath, probably to scream, but the nurse whispered to him:

"Don't play off too far, kid. Bob 'll bring you home when he gets to the bat. Sh—sh! Easy, now!"

The two doctors sauntered into the smaller room. The nurse followed, carrying Number Nine.

The operating room was furnished with the rigor of a morgue or a New England parlor. In the center of the tiled floor stood an iron skeleton frame couch whence, for better or worse, so many had drifted from pain into the precarious arms of the subtle goddess anæsthesia. The top of this grim trestle was slightly hollowed and lower at its foot, where holes were pierced immediately above a basin waiting significantly below. The arrangement of this simple device for holding the body while its life trickled through the holes was such that the operatee faced a window, and it was his privilege to fix his gaze (an act sometimes unopen to repetition) upon an inviting lawn, flower bedecked in season, waving branches of green trees and a patch of blue sky into which, like as not, he might presently be soaring. A marble sink with glittering faucets, a copper boiler fuming over a gas burner, a few shelves, their contents concealed behind discreet drapery—these things and little else met the eye of the uninitiated intruder. Behind considerate screens lurked the machinery of science—the teeth behind the smile. There, back of glass doors, shone the

WITH SUCH APPARENT EASE.

things of steel and silver that are always thirstily searching through quivering flesh.

The attendant arranged the operating table. As the nurse laid Number Nine down he looked the boy straight in the eye and whispered:

"Will you trust Bob, kid?"

He heard a faint "Yes, Bob," and the small form, now Number Nine no longer, but a "subject," lay quite still looking out the window, but never releasing his hold on his protector's finger.

The druggist bustled importantly in with the keys to the instrument cases. The doctors donned white gowns. Fletcher was humming a tune. Dr. Parks stuffed some absorbent cotton into a paper funnel and began to pour the ether.

"You may go now," said Fletcher to the nurse.

"No-o-o-o!" the shrill voice of the boy went, keen and startling, through the wards. Outside in the corridor a nurse said to another: "Operating without anæsthetics! Old Fletcher's getting in a bigger hurry than ever."

Dr. Fletcher bent over the boy.

"'Little man let the good doctor give um medicine to make um well." To McManus he said: "You'd better stay till he's under the influence. He'll be quieter." The druggist was arranging the instruments on a little stand. Unexpectedly the nurse spoke up.

"Doc," he said quietly, "the kid knows what you brought him in here for. He heard you and the other croaker talkin' it over. Doc, don't you think you're callin' too many strikes on him?"

Dr. Fletcher regarded McManus as he would have gazed upon an anatomical freak, minus the pleasure.

"What does this buffoonery mean?" he asked coldly.

"Wait till I have a look at the score card," said the nurse, drawing a sheet of paper from his pocket. "Here you are! Doc, that kid ain't got appendiseedus any more than I have. I got all the runs—I mean the symptoms—right here. 'Localized pain,' it says; that he's got. 'Rig-rig-idity of the wall on right side;' maybe he's got that. 'Tenderness in the ilio-ilio-cae;' I'll have to pass that word up. But, Doc, where's your fever? Where's your 'in-invariable rise of temperature?' The kid ain't had a mite of fever since he's been sick. Besides, Doc, I'll take a paralyzed oath he ain't et an apple in two months."

"I believe you represented yourself to be a trained nurse?" said Dr. Fletcher, increasing, for a moment, the fire of his rising wrath in the asbestos of sarcasm—"a professional."

McManus' eye met the doctor's withering gaze with a peculiar gleam in it.

"I am the goods," he said, with serene ambiguity.

"Leave this room and this hospital at once, you meddling ignoramus."

"You bet I'm a trained nurse," said Number Nine's champion softly, lingering with the original proposition.

"From what most extraordinary institution of instruction, may I ask?" said Fletcher, shifting back from his bluff to the more tenable ground of sarcasm.

"Barney Gilligan's East Side Gymnasium." The nurse's voice split the air as keen as one of the doctor's scalpels. "Want to see my diploma?" He bent over Number Nine. "Turn my finger loose, kid, and we'll make a home run."

McManus balanced himself lightly upon both feet, and now it would have been a captious critic who would not have said that his manner was purely professional. His arms moved outward, one after the other, with such apparent ease that it seemed out of all proportion to the exertion that the big doctor should fall with his head in a corner and remain there; also that Dr. Parks should dive backward through a screen and present only the soles of his shoes to the rest of the action.

"Am I a trained nurse?" remarked that individual, addressing the query to emptiness, or rather to unheeding ears, for the attendant and the druggist had fled, neither of them feeling authorized to examine into the credentials of Gilligan's graduate.

"Catch on, kid!" said the nurse. Number Nine's bony arms clutched his deliverer's neck. He felt himself lifted, as a feather, from the cheated altar of science and borne out through the ward. One stop they made when the nurse put on his hat and wrapped his coat around the boy. Then he took up his burden again and halted not until they were clear of the building and grounds of the Needle's Eye hospital.

On the sidewalk the boy said faintly: "I don't want to go back to me fadder, Bob, I wants to stay wid you."

"Not go back to your father, kid, what was good to you and bought you a sled Chris'mus?"

"'Twas a many a Chris'mus ago, Bob. He was good to me onest, and I ain't forgot it. He's different now. He's a-drinkin'. I wants to stay wid you, Bob."

"And you shall, kid. I told you I'd bring you home when it was my strike, and I'll do it. There's plenty of jobs. I'll find another one before night, and we'll stick together. Bob wouldn't let you die on third!"

"Bob!"

"Yes, kid."

"I'd never tell anybody but you. I know what's de matter wid me."

"The mischief you do! You sure you didn't eat a apple, kid, and it slipped your mind, maybe?" asked McManus anxiously.

"Sure. I knows all about it. I didn't want nobody to know. He used to be awful good to me, Bob. That sled was a red one with a yellow rose on de side. I ain't forgot it. But last week he kicked me—here in the side. That's what's the matter, Bob."

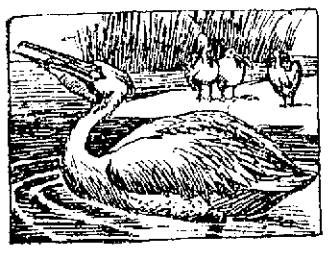
"And you wouldn't— Well, I be ——!" said the ex-nurse.

FACTS AND FUN FOR THE LITTLE MEN AND WOMEN

An Island of Pelicans

By ***ALBERTA PLATT***

OCCASIONALLY the United States takes possession for itself of a district to preserve certain natural curiosities therein from the greed or destructiveness of men. This has been done with Pelican island, off the east coast of Florida. It was merely a speck of marsh land covered with grasses, trees and undergrowth—



PELICANS AT HOME.

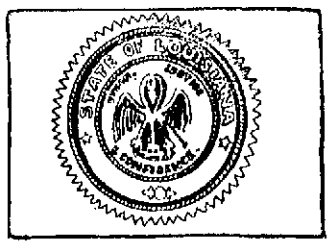
likewise mosquitoes. Its only inhabitants were flocks of the great white American pelican. This bird is as large as a swan, with a huge, horny beak over a foot long and very thick and heavy. As if the beak were not heavy enough of itself there is in the lower half of it an opening into a big, membranous bag or sac. This is to carry fish in. When the female is hatching her young, sitting upon her eggs on the ground, the male bird attends to his part of the business by bringing fish in his pouch for her to eat. After the young birds are hatched, both the father and mother carry fish to feed the young.

This is how a pelican fishes: It wades into the water of a river, lake or the sea, dips its great bill down and nabs a fish with the tips of its mandibles, which are the upper and lower halves of its bill. Then it raises its head quickly, opens the bag under its lower jaw and drops the fish in as you would drop apples into a bag. You see in the picture how this is done.

If the bird has young ones to feed, it leaves the water and flies home to them in a hurry. But it has no hands to pull that fish out of the sac. So it presses the under part of its bill and the sac hard against its breast and opens its mouth, when out pops the fish! Then the pelican feeds the young ones with it. The tip of the pelican's bill is red, and long ago among people who were not naturalists a story was started by persons who had seen the red beak against the white feathers that the pelican pecked at her breast till her own blood flowed and then fed her young with the scarlet drops. There are occasionally real drops of blood upon the pelican's breast, for the soft sac in which it holds the fish is often wounded from the sharp spine of a fish's fin and made to bleed. That helped the false story along.

People used to believe it, however, so, when Louisiana was admitted to this Union, her citizens chose as the state seat a heraldic picture of a pelican feeding her young ones with drops of blood from her breast. Thus, said they, will the state of Louisiana cherish her children.

These splendid great white birds lived at peace upon their island for centuries. Their flesh is not good to eat,



STATE SEAL OF LOUISIANA.

being rank and fishy in taste, and their plumage is too coarse and stiff for the milliners to make use of upon ladies' hats, so the pelicans of Pelican island bade fair to live on and be happy, as they had been doing since long before America was discovered. But tourists began at last to find out what a lovely place Florida is in winter. They flocked there more and more. Travelers saw the snow white pelicans sailing in glorious flights above the island, saw them fishing in the shallow water along the shore, saw them carrying fish to feed their children. The innocent birds were of no earthly use dead to anybody, and living they did no harm to anybody.

But in the heart of man, alone of all living creatures, there appears to be an instinct of killing and destruction. Animals kill other creatures for food; man seems to kill from mere wicked delight in taking life. Men landed on the pelicans' island and shot them from mere wantonness. When these birds fly they lay their heavy heads back upon their bodies and sail high in air in great flocks. They are a wonderful sight. When they fish, also in flocks, they form a horseshoe shaped line in the water of the fishing place. But as the tourists visited the pretty island year by year the great sailing flocks above it became smaller and smaller, the horseshoe shaped fishing line became shorter and shorter. There was danger the birds would be exterminated.

Then President Roosevelt ordered that Pelican island should be made a government reservation, and guards now watch it, and henceforth the innocent birds will have their home to themselves ag

Goodby to Little Dickie Dawdle-so

By KATE E. JAMIESON.

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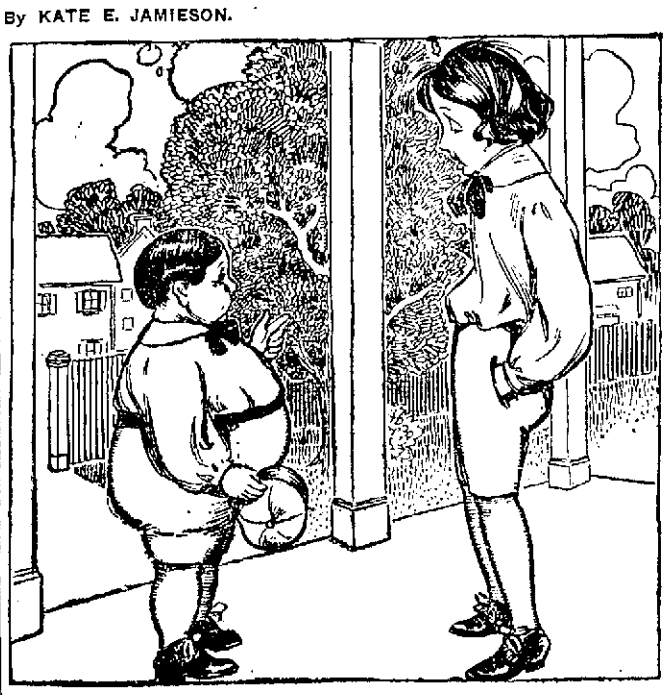
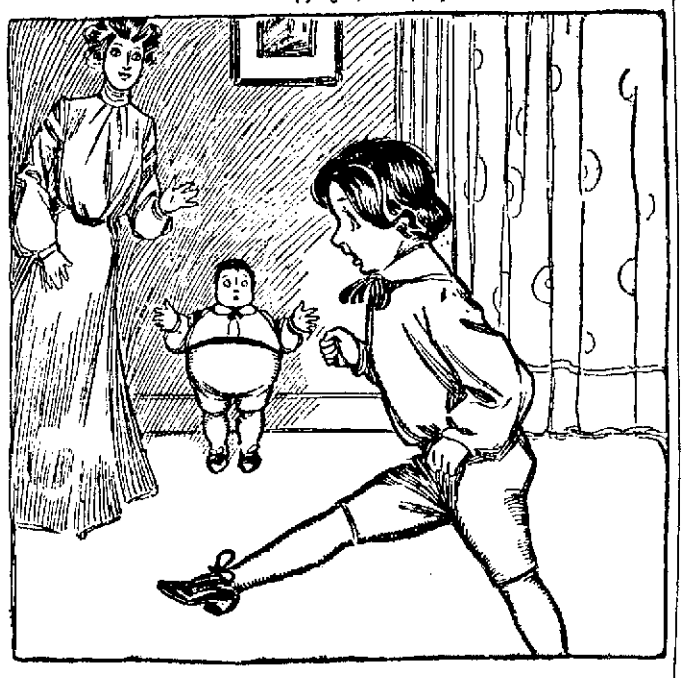


Little Dickie Dawdle-so
Got advice from Rhyming Joe,
Who told him, almost with a snicker,
That he should be a good deal quicker.
Further, as a parting sally,
Said, "You never see me dally."



Dickie, after Joe had gone,
Said, "Now, from this moment on,
Nevermore will I be late,
And make papa or mamma wait."
He kept his word, and Rhyming Joe
Declares we've lost our Dawdle-so.

PAPA AND THE BABY.

The five-year-old son was asking his father some severe questions about a recent addition to the family.

"Does that baby like ma?" the youngster asked sharply.

"Oh, yes, he likes your ma," said his father, "but he likes me, too."

Thereupon the five-year-old, from whom great things were expected, exclaimed:

"Likes you? Then why does he cry when he looks at you?"

Work Versus Play.

"There's one thing about me that I don't understand," said Tommy thoughtfully, "and that's why it is that making marks on wall papers is such lots of fun and making 'em in copybooks in school is such hard work."

Wicked Willie.

Sunday School Teacher—How many commandments are there, Willie?"

Willie—Ten.

Sunday School Teacher—And suppose you were to break one of them?

Willie—Then there 'd only be nine.

Bertie's View of It.

"Whom do you take after, Bertie—your pa or your ma?"

"Neither of 'em. Ma an' me takes together. I'm gits wot's left—if there is any left."

SILLY SALLY'S CAKE.

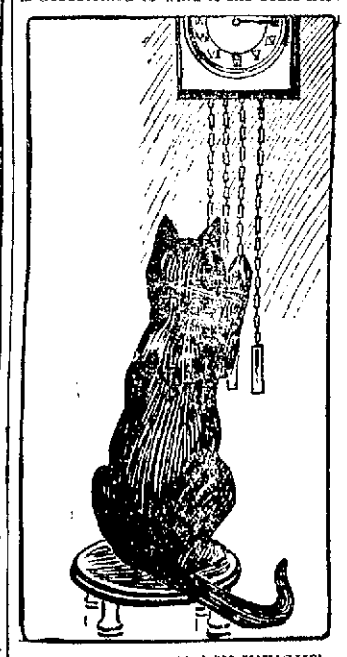
Silly Sally made a cake
And put some raisins in it;
She placed it in the oven hot
And left it there a minute.

Then she took it out again
To see if it was done,
But no, of course it was not baked
It had only begun.

So then she put it back again
And left it there a day,
But when she went to take it out
The cake had burned away.

The Cat That Winds a Clock.

This is a picture of a cat that winds a clock. She does not forget it, but when the hour draws near in which she is accustomed to wind it she seats her-



KITTY AT THE CLOCK WEIGHT.

self in front of it and watches until the hands point to the exact time. Then, climbing up, she catches the weight in her paws and drags it down. The clock is then wound up for another twenty-four hours. This valuable pussy belongs to a North Dakota farmer, who thinks she is worth her weight in gold.

"Papa, what are the 'dogs of war?'"
"Bulldogs, Johnny."

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BILLERICA.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conway, Sr., have returned after a week's visit to Nahant beach.

North Billerica council, R. A., will cross bats with Industry Council at Faulkner park tomorrow afternoon.

James F. Barry, of Boston, who has been visiting friends in the town during the past week returned to his home yesterday.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended meeting of Merrimack Valley lodge, Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F., was held last night and Deputy Riley of Lawrence was present at the meeting to install the recently elected warden. Six candidates were also initiated. The lodge voted the sum of $25 from the treasury to aid those of its members who had been bodily injured or had lost property in the recent explosion. A committee was appointed for the distribution of the money and relief.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, No. 24, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and decided to hold an outing tomorrow. The principal attraction will be a ball game between Lowell lodge and Samuel Hines lodge. The game will be played at the Uncedа Boat club grounds in Billerica. The following committee is in charge: Sam G. Lynees, Robert Rutherford, Wm. H. Walker, for Lowell lodge; W. S. Shaw, H. C. Bee and H. C. Bowen for Samuel Hines lodge.

Races, Sports and Bowling on the Green, Bunting Grounds.

BULLET PROOF VEST

SHOT FIRED AT MAN HAD NO EFFECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 14.—In the squad room of the Desplaines street police station yesterday a big policeman pulled his revolver from his hip pocket, took deliberate aim at a man standing at the end of the room and fired. The man did not drop dead, but turned a smiling face at his adversary, who then fired three more shots in rapid succession, which all went wide of the mark. Half a dozen officers in the room looked on with deep interest during the shooting, and one of them said: "You would not catch me taking a chance like that, bullet-proof vest or not. There might be a hole in it some place." A bullet-proof vest invented by Cassimir Zieglen, stopped the leaden missiles. The vest is guaranteed to stop a Colt's 44 bullet at 20 paces. It was being tested for the edification of the police. The vest is made by a secret process, and resembles a heavy quilted silk cloth. It stops the bullets, however, and the man who wears it scarcely feels the impact of the missile.

Band Concert by Griffith's Band, Bunting Grounds, Saturday.

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Warranted Tooth Brushes (worth 25c to 35c.) selling for 15c. at Howard's, the Druggist, 197 Central street. A new brush if the bristles come out.

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Lawn Party Under Auspices of Altar Society of St. Michael's Church—Large Attendance and Fine Entertainment Provided

No prettier place for a lawn party can be found than St. Mary's grove in Collinsville, adjoining the little church where the Catholics of the town worship. Yesterday afternoon and last night the grove held fifteen hundred people who attended the party under the auspices of the Altar society of St. Michael's church, and a most enjoyable time was provided for both young and old. The numerous trees in the grove and surrounding it were ablaze with light and large reflectors placed behind mammoth lanterns, threw a gleam of light across the large space occupied by the dancing pavilion and the booths erected for the occasion. Japanese lanterns were strung from the topmost branches of the trees and near the booths were hung in great profusion.

The booths showed the decorative tact of the young ladies and each one presented a most beautiful appearance. So attractive were they and so persistent were the fair attendants in soliciting trade, that during the entire evening there was not a single dull moment. The ice cream was in great demand and the tonic table did a rushing business. The mystery table kept the great crowd of customers guessing all the time, and judging from the amount of candy disposed of there were many "sweet-toothed" people in the grove.

There was plenty of opportunity for dancing and floor director McKenna and his assistants were kept busy.

In the afternoon the children had the grounds to themselves save for one brief period when the grocery clerks of Lakeview avenue and Bridge street settled an old score at base ball, and the Bridge street lads won.

There was a Punch and Judy show for the little ones and sports occupied some of their time.

The affair was most successful, and quite a sum will be realized for the purpose of securing adornments for the altar at St. Michael's church. Rev. Denis Murphy, who is in charge of the Altar society and who aroused interest in last night's lawn party, desires to thank all the young men and women in the parish who lent their aid in making it a success, and also those who contributed to the different tables.

Following is a list of tables and attendants:

Refreshment table—Mrs. Philip Donahue, matron; Miss Anna Duffy, treasurer; Mrs. McArdle, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. McDonough, Mrs. Monahan, Mrs. McNell, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Quinn, Miss Annie Bradley, Miss Margaret Chisholm, Miss Mary Breen, Miss Mary Nixon, Miss Mary Duffy, Miss Delia McNally, Miss Susie Duffy, Mrs. Mathew McCaffrey, Miss Louise O'Connell, Miss Katherine White, Miss Hannah White.

Ice cream table—Mrs. Breen, Mrs. Campbell, matrons; Miss Mary Callahan, treasurer; Miss Alice Markin, Miss Alice Garrigan, Miss Ella Callahan, Miss Margaret Callahan, Miss Gertrude Doherty, Miss Mary Doherty, Miss Mary Minahan, Miss Margit Breen, Miss Nellie Breen, Miss Gertrude Donohue, Miss Josephine Donohue, MIiss Mary Furlong, Miss Jennie Joyce, Miss Catherine Murray, Miss Mary Riley, Miss Annie Lavoy, Miss Bushnell.

Lemonade and tonic table—Miss Margaret McCluskey, matron; Miss Agnes Callahan, treasurer; Miss Rose Dowd, Mrs. Calnin, Mrs. Foye, Miss Mary Joyce, Miss Marie Cogger, Miss Martha Rogers, Miss Frances Hickey, Miss Etta Foye, Miss Mary Ryan, Miss Mary Healey, Miss Jennie McKinley, Miss Nellie Riley, Miss Mary Fitzgerald, Miss Fanny Bagley, Miss Mary Kenney, Miss Mary Grennan, Miss Katie Grennan, Miss Mary Leary, Miss Nettie Grady, Miss Marcella Murphy, Miss Gertrude Shaw, Miss Annie Logan, Miss Lizzie Logan, Miss Julia King, Miss Etta Courtney, Miss Mary Coolig, Miss Hughsiw, Miss Annie Donovan, Miss May Kennedy.

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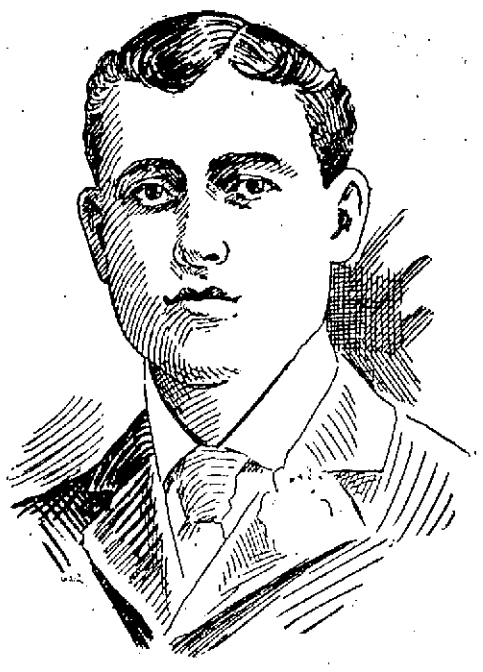
Fishing pond—Miss Lucy Sheridan, Miss Elizabeth Rafter, matrons; Miss Agnes R. Burns, Miss Rose McGlynn, Miss Mae Hubin, Miss Delia Harry, Miss Clara Bates, Miss Kathryn McDonough, Miss Hattie Angelo, Miss Nettie Rogers, Miss Kathryn Murray, Miss Margaret Hubin, Miss Mae Fanning, Miss Katie Fanning, Mrs. Owen Gilday, Mrs. Clarence Cunningham, Miss Nellie Maloney, Miss Kathryn Mackie, Miss Mae Burns, Miss Helen Dowd, Miss Anna Cronin, Miss Helen Fitzpatrick, Miss Greely, Miss Kelley, Miss Margaret Baxter, Miss Anna Englesby, Miss Bridget Joyce, Miss Hannah O'Neil, Miss Doris Burns, Miss Tena Flanders, Miss Agnes Sullivan, Miss Gertrude Reed, Miss Katherine Kenney, Miss Marrietta McGrath, Miss Jennie Maguire, Miss Eva Trainor, Miss Margaret McDonough, Miss Minnie Jones, Miss Della McNally, Miss Louise Roache, Miss Alice Fanning, Miss Agnes Bates, Miss Kathryn Hubin.



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BILLADEAU MAY DIE

HE HAS AN ATTACK OF HICCOUGHS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HINSDALE, Aug. 14.—Joseph Billadeau, 60 years, was attacked by hiccoughs on Sunday and his sufferings since have been intense and he is greatly reduced in strength and will die unless relief can be given him. He has been attended by physicians, who are puzzled over the continuance of the attack. Mr. Billadeau is a laboring man and has never before been attacked by this strange affliction. The case is serious and specialists have been sent for.

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Saturday, Aug. 15, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF THE SCOTT PROPERTY, NO. 24 CEDAR STREET, AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

By virtue of the power, authority and direction given to me as the executor of the will of Jane Scott, late of Lowell, Mass., deceased, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, regardless of the weather, the following described real estate:

A two-tenement house and about 2660 square feet of land, situated on the easterly side of Cedar street. The lot has a frontage of 38 feet on Cedar street and is 70 feet in depth, is very dry and all fenced in.

The building is a two-tenement house; consisting of 5 rooms and water closet on the first floor; 4 rooms on the second floor, also 2 finished attics with the upper tenement. An extra dry cellar, good sewerage and water service, also plenty of yard room.

This will certainly make a very good home for someone of moderate means, and it is in an excellent location for renting property.

TERMS—$250 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.

By order of JOHN W. McEVOY.
Executor of the will of Jane Scott.

JOHN M. FARRELL, Auctioneer
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